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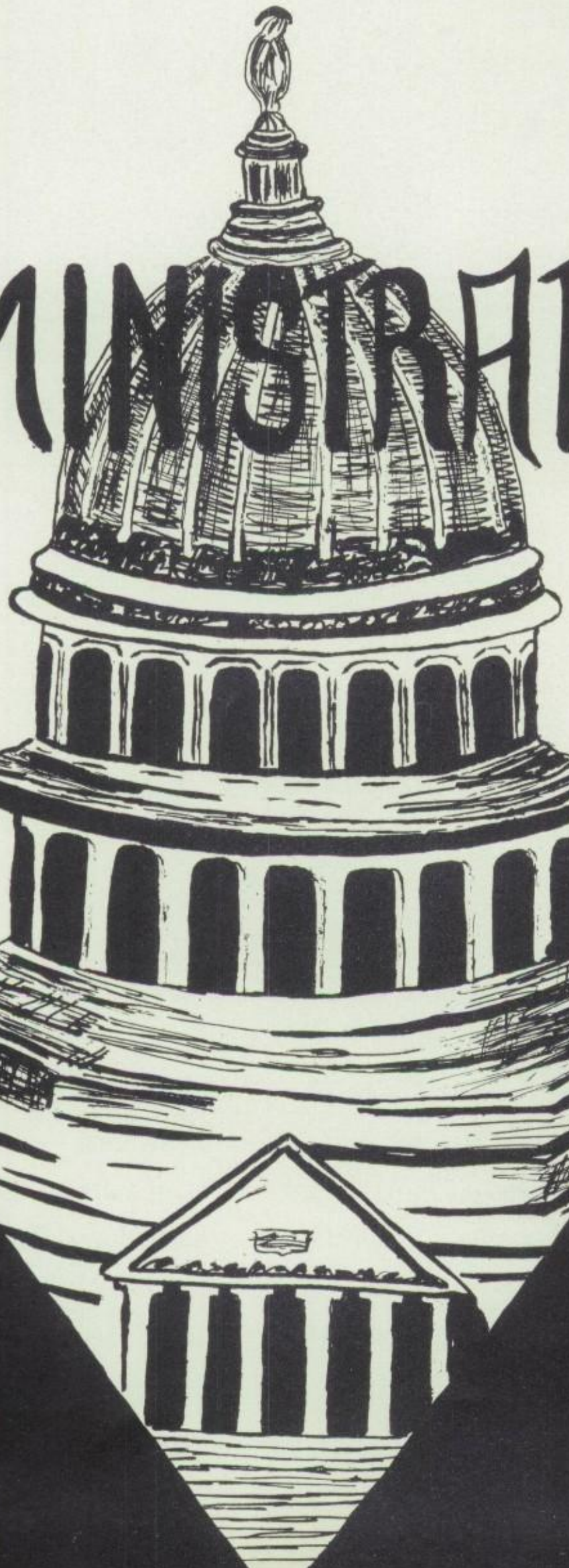
DEDICATION . . .

MR. ARNOLD FICK

To one whose faith and confidence in the boys and girls of Tomah High has inspired him to give freely of his influence; unselfishly of his time, and unsparingly of his enthusiasm these many years that we might enjoy the advantages of a modern school system; to our good friend and benefactor, Mr. Arnold Fick, member of the Board of Education, we the Class of 1952, respectfully dedicate this Hamot.

ADMINISTRATION



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MR. CRANE, MR. McKEAN, MISS McADAMS

ADMINISTRATION

It has been a distinct pleasure to be under the guidance and supervision of the faculty and administration of Tomah High School. They have been very co-operative in training us along educational and recreational lines. Many of the teachers have taken on the added responsibility of clubs and organizations, thus furnishing us with extra-curricular activities. Tomah High School has been outstanding in our vicinity for the school spirit we have towards specialized clubs as well as athletics, dramatics, forensics, music and debate. All of these activities require hours of work and preparation on the part of faculty members. Students may always look with admiration in their hearts for the co-operation and friendliness the administration has shown us during our school years.

VIRGINIA ZASTOUPIL

OFFICE GIRLS

MRS. SHIRLEY RUSSEL

Board of Education

Standing - Mr. Earl Marquadt, Mr. E. J. McKean

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Mr. Neilson, Miss Dunne, Mr. Rayment, Miss Schuelke, Mr. Nelson, Mrs. Krueger, Mr. Mewaldt

OUR . . .

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Row 2 - Mr. Leverich, Mr. Hansen.
Row 1 - Hillert, Miss Aberly, Miss Olsen, Mr. Ness.

Faculty . . .

ABERLY, ELLA
B.A. University of Wisconsin
Home Economics
Joined Tomah Staff in 1949
"Experience teaches slowly"

DICKINSON, LAUREL
B.A. Stout Institute
Manual Arts, Boxing Coach
Joined Tomah Staff in 1944
"Little said is soonest mended"

DUNNE, ELIZABETH
B. Mus. Lawrence College
Joined Tomah Staff in 1951
"God giveth speech to all, song to few"

GATZKE, EARL
B.A. Ripon College
Boys Phy. Ed. Track Coach
Joined Tomah Staff in 1948
"To be strong is to be happy"

GREEN, ELIZABETH
B.S. LaCrosse State Teachers College
English III
"Who can direct, when all pretend to know"

HANSEN, PHILLIP
B.S. River Falls State Teachers College
Veteran Training
Joined Tomah Staff in 1949
"Farming is next to godliness"

HILLERT, THEODORE
B.S. River Falls State Teachers College
Veteran Training Freshmen Ag.
Joined Tomah Staff in 1949
"Work is alone, noble"

KRUEGER, DENA
B.S. Whitewater State Teachers College
Typewriting, General Math
Joined Tomah Staff in 1941
"Great is truth"

LEVERICH, ROBERT
B.S. University of Wisconsin Veteran Training
Joined Tomah Staff in 1950
"Live and think"

MEILLER, ROY
B.S. LaCrosse State Teachers College
Geometry, Biology
"Confidence is a plant of slow growth"

MEWALDT, DAVID
B. Mus. Lawrence College Conservatory of Music
Joined Tomah Staff in 1946
"Some credit in being jolly"

MEYER, JAMES
B.A. LaCrosse St. Teachers
Civics, English I, III
"Care is an enemy to life"

NEAS, BETTY
B.S. Stout Institute
Home Ec. I, II
Joined Tomah Staff in 1951
"The sum of earthly bliss"

NEILSEN, HARVEY
B.S. Whitewater State Teachers College
Shorthand, Bookkeeping
Joined Tomah Staff in 1936
"Virtue itself"

NELSON, ARNOLD
Ph. M. University of Wisconsin
B.A. South Dakota College
Physics, Chemistry
Joined Tomah Staff in 1929
"One thing is good forever, that one thing is success"

NESS, JAMES
B.S. River Falls State Teachers College
Voc. Ag. Veteran Training
Joined Tomah Staff in 1946
"Where there is a will, there is a way"

OLSON, BERNICE
B.E. LaCrosse State Teachers College
Librarian
Joined Tomah Staff in 1947
"The will for good"

ROEMER, HOWARD
B.S. Platteville State Teachers College
General Science, Studyhall
Joined Tomah Staff in 1948
"His own merit makes his way"

SANDVIG, LOUISE
B.S. St. Olaf College
English IV, Latin I, II
Social Problems
Joined Tomah Staff in 1948
"Some people are nice and wise"

SCHALLER, MARJORIE
B.A. LaCrosse St. Teachers College
English I
Joined Tomah Staff in 1951
"Mildest manners, and gentlest heart"

SCHETTLER, LOWELL
B.S. Platteville State Teachers College
General Science, Study Hall, Football, Basketball, Baseball Coach
Joined Tomah Staff in 1947
"They go from strength to strength"

SCHUELKE, THEDA
B.A. North Central College
World History
Joined Tomah Staff in 1922
"Silence is the mother of truth"

STOKER, VIDA
B.S. LaCrosse State Teachers College
Algebra, Geography
Joined Tomah Staff in 1949
"The very pink of perfection"

RAYMENT, CLIFFORD
B.A. Eau Claire State Teachers College
U. S. History, Debate Coach
Joined Tomah Staff in 1944
"Thought once awakened does not again slumber"

REHWINKEL, JEANNE
B.S. LaCrosse State Teachers College
Girls Phy Ed.
Joined Tomah Staff in 1948
"Tis good will makes intelligence"

REISER, ELIZABETH
B.S. University of Wisconsin
English I
Joined Tomah Staff in 1922
"All her luxury is in doing good!"

CLASSES

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

James Churchill ..... *Sergeant-at-Arms*
Robert Hubert ..... *President*
Lavonne Wolford ..... *Secretary-Treasurer*
John Schultz ..... *Vice-President*

REMEMBER WHEN . . .

CLASS OF 1952

On that memorable day in September 1949, about 180 green and eager Freshmen entered those mighty doors upon the windblown hill to revel in the knowledge that they were all free and equal. Yes, we the class of '52 once were those green Freshmen. Remember the razzing we got from the upperclassmen as we frantically rushed by them to get to classes? During our first week as Freshmen many of our classmates had the misfortune of meeting up with some of these loving (?) upperclassmen, who deposited them on the water bubbler. Like good sports we laughed and thought about next year when we would have the chance to initiate the next victims to enter the mighty doors of THS for the first time. On

December 9, 1949, we staged the annual Freshmen Day Program. Many proud parents witnessed the Yuletide event.

Another year has begun and again the mighty doors swing wide with a promise, yet a challenge, to meet with joy and pride. As Sophomores we understood more fully just what Tomah school life is. School life is the glory of seeing THS etched against the sky day after day, of sipping cokes with the gang after classes, it's the thrill of making friends who will never be forgotten, hum-drum days of gruelling classes, report card days, basketball and football games, and canteen. The big event of the year was our Sophomore Day Program. Even though many of us were scared stiff, Sophomore Day was very successful and from the various comments heard, it was enjoyed by all who attended.

When we entered the mighty doors of THS as Juniors, we realized that this was to be a special year for us. The big question that seemed to hover over the Junior Class was "Who would be president and prom king?" After quite a bit of campaigning, we placed our stamp of approval on Jim Lenz, president. This was the year we chose our class rings. Then before we knew it preparations were started for the big event of the year, Junior Prom! After much consideration "April Showers" was chosen as the theme. Originality combined with the genius made our Junior Prom something that will be a cherished memory.

Realizing that we the Senior Class of '52 have come a long way since that day three years ago when we entered THS as bewildered, but eager Freshmen, we were determined to make our Senior year tops. The year began with many students wishing that physics wasn't required. It isn't that it's "hard" it's just — oh well, we can wish can't we? We began to think more and more of the future as we discussed everyday problems in Room 214. Our class play went off beautifully. Commencement Day came all to soon and then our high school days were gone — but not forgotten. We still have our memories of it and although there were some unhappy moments, there were many more pleasant and happy ones. When we look back and remember our good times and the funny things that seem silly to us now, we smile and say, "Remember When — !"

DONNA ALLEN

"Modest maid and proper too."

F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Student Typist 4; Cafeteria Worker 1,2,3,4.

MARY LOU ALLEN

"She is liked best, who is liked by all."

G.A.A. 3,4; F.H.A. 1,2; Dramatic Club 4; Prom Committee 3.

RUTH ANDRES

"A worker always does her level best."

G.A.A. 3,4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; F.B.L.A. 2,3; Student Typist 3.

NORMAN ANDERSON ... "Norm"

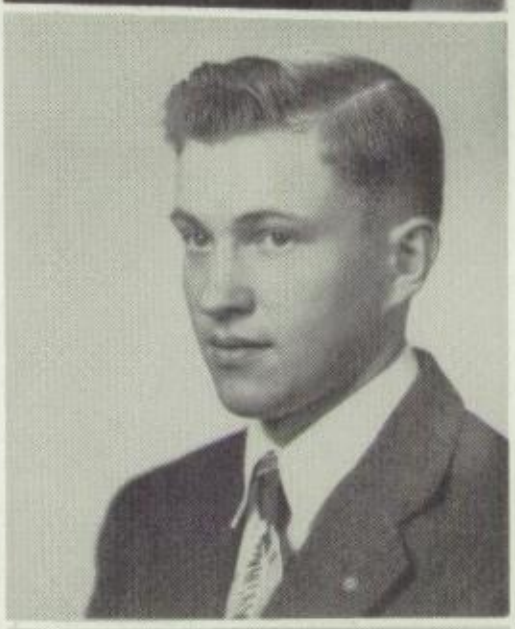
"When you pass him he'll say "Hi", And give you a smile as he goes by."

F.B.L.A. 3; Sketch Club 3; Dramatic Club 2,3; Student Typist 3,4; Choir 3,4; Hamot Staff 4; Paper Staff 3; Band 1,2,3,4; Boys Quartet 3.

ROBERT ATTLEN ..... "Bob"

"He stoops to nothing, but a door."

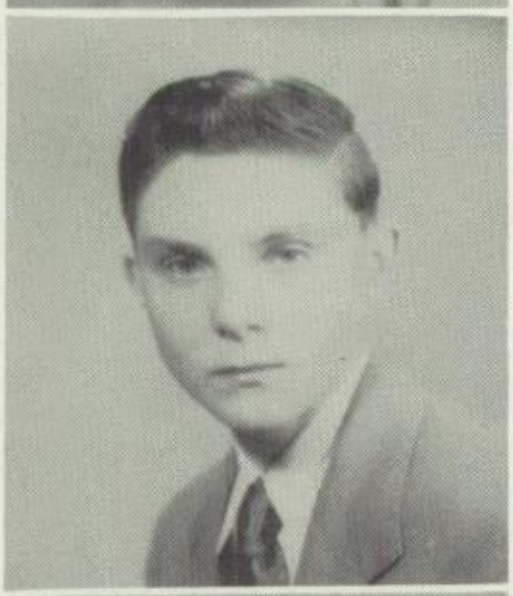
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4.



PHYLLIS BATTEN ..... "Phyl"

"Peppy as ginger, nice as pie."

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; F.B.L.A. 3,4; Latin Club 1; Dramatic Club 3,4; Prom Committee 3; Paper Staff 3.



DORIS BAUMGARTEN ... "Bummy"

"As merry as the day is long."

G.A.A. 2,3,4; F.H.A. 1; Dramatic Club 3,4; Student Typist 2,3,4; Choir 3,4; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Paper Staff 3; Band 1,2,3,4.

DWIGHT BERNETT

"Not too serious not too gay, but a very good fellow in every way."

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1; Boxing 2,3.

LORRAINE BERNHARDT, "Lorrie"

"She is quiet and modest too, as a friend she is always true."

Student Typist 4; Prom Committee 3.

JOHN BETTHAUSER

"Skip School -- Why?? I'd never think of it."

Prom Committee 3; Boxing 1,3; Track 4.

MILDRED BETTHAUSER

"Beneath Mildred's dignity, There lies a heap of Jollity."

F.B.L.A. 4; Sketch Club 4; Dramatic Club 4; New Lisbon 1,2.

JAMES BLACKWOOD ..... "Jim"

"I'll argue though the point is small, you can't let these teachers say it all."

Latin Club 1,2,3,4; Sketch Club 1,2; Dramatic Club 4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Prom Committee 3; Band 1,2,3,4; Football 1; Track 2,3,4; Canteen Committee 4; Dance Band 2,3; Boy's Glee Club 1.

VICTOR BURNSTAD ..... "Vic"

"Lively and happy, full of fun, Vic's a friend to everyone."

Sketch Club 2; Choir 2,3,4; Class Vice Pres. 1,2; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Football 1,2, 3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Lettermans Club 2,3,4; Aud. Ushers 3,4; Boys Quartet 2.

MARGUERITE CALLAHAN

"Margie"

"Has more then she shows, Speaks less than she knows."

F.H.A. 1,4; Student Typist 3,4; Prom Committee 3.

BARBARA CARSON ..... "Barbs"

"I chatter, chatter as I go."

G.A.A. 1,2,4; Latin Club 1,2; Dramatic Club 4; Student Typist 4; Choir 4; Glee Club 3,4; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 3; Paper Staff 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Extemp. Reading 2; Humorous Declamation 1,4; Serious Declamation 3; Canteen Committee 4.

LAWRENCE CASE ..... "Larry"

"Study makes some people wise, seems to make me other wise."

Football 1; Boxing 2.

EVERETT CHAMBERS .... "Butch"

"Now take me and Einstein."

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Hamot Staff 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Boxing 1,2,3,4; Lettermans Club 2,3,4.

JAMES CHURCHILL ..... "Butch"

"The world belongs to the energetic - Who wants the world anyway?"

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2; Boxing 1,2,3,4; Lettermans Club 3,4; Athletic Managers 2,3,4; Class Sergeant-at-Arms 4.

DONNA MARIE CLAY

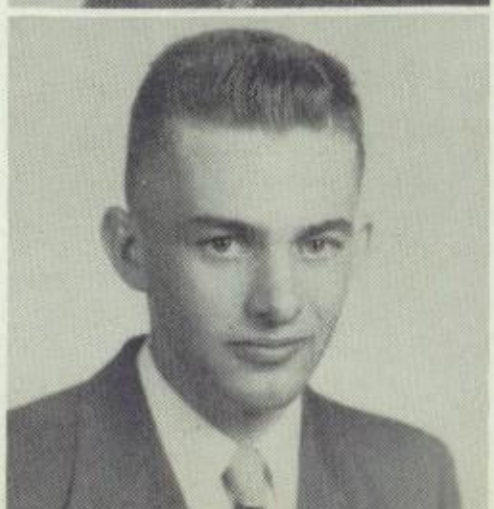
"Donna is the epitome of charm and sincerity."

F.H.A. 2,3,4; F.B.L.A. 2,3; Dramatic Club 4; Student Typist 2,3; Office Worker 4; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Band 3,4; Extemp. Reading 2,3,4; 4 Min. Speech 1; Second Band 1,2.

RONALD CLAY ..... "Ronnie"

"The world was made to be enjoyed and I will make the best of it."

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Football 3; Boxing 1,2,3,4; Track 2,3,4.



PATRICIA CRAM ..... "Pat"

"A jolly girl chuck full of fun, She's a friend to everyone."

F.B.L.A. 2,3; Dramatic Club 3,4; Student Typist 3; Librarian 4; Prom Committee 3; Paper Staff 3.

STEPHANY CREMER ..... "Steph"

"And so she passes through life, Leaving the seed of friendliness everywhere."

Latin Club 1,2; Dramatic Club 2,3; Choir 2,3, 4; Glee Club 2,3,4; Office Worker 4; Class Secretary 3; Class Treas. 3; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Paper Staff 3; 4 Min. Speech 2; Canteen Committee 3; D.A.R. 4.
Triple Trio 3.

EDWARD CROWLEY ..... "Ed"

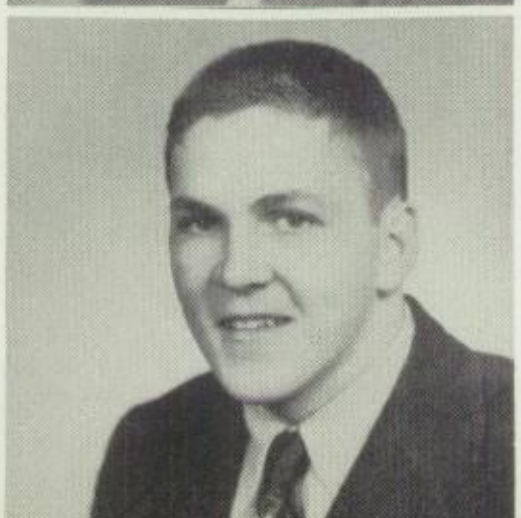
"Tall of stature, short of speech, This newcomer has a voice that's deep."

Mauston High School 1,2,3.

MARLENE DAMEROW ... "Sandy"

"A neat blond lass -- Our Sandy has plenty of class."

G.A.A. 2,3,4; F.B.L.A. 2,3; Dramatic Club 4; Choir 4; Glee Club 3,4; Triple Trio 4; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4.



RICHARD DANA ..... "Dick"

"What is the use of worrying when there is so many other things to do?"

Football 4; Track 3,4; Lettermans Club 4; Appleton High School 1,2.

FREDERICK DASHNER .... "Ted"

"Boys will be boys, but that is all right."

F.B.L.A. 3,4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Prom Committee 3; Paper Staff 1,2,3; Football 1,2,34 Track 2,4.

MARIE DEGENHARDT

"A small and quiet lass whose cheerful manner you can't surpass."

Prom Committee 3; F.H.A. 4.

DIANE DICKINSON

"Tis the song you sing, and the smile you wear, That makes sunshine everywhere."

G.A.A. 2,3,4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; F.B.L.A. 1,2; Student Typist 3,4; Choir 3,4; Glee Club 2,3,4; Triple Trio 3,4; Hamot Staff 4.

NANCY DICKINSON

"She's a pleasure, a treasure, a joy without measure."

G.A.A. 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; F.B.L.A. 2; Student Typist 3; Choir 3,4; Glee Club 2,3,4; Hamot Staff 2,4; Paper Staff 3.

DEAN DODSWORTH

"Silence is one of the great arts of conversation."

Football 1,2,3,4; Lettermans Club 4.

JOAN DORNER

"Round and round she goes where she stops nobody knows."

Dramatic Club 3,4; Prom Committee 3; Band 3, 4; Ontario High School 1.

DALE DUNNING

"A jolly good fellow is he."

F.F.A. 4; Football 3,4; West Milwaukee High School 1; Bay View High School 2.

DALE DYE ..... "Skip"

"All though I'm not so very tall, I'd rather be short than not at all."

Student Typist 4; Football 1,2; Boxing 1,2,3,4; Track 3,4; Lettermans Club 4.

ALTON EIRSCHELE ..... "Al"

"Not as many whiskers as the cough drop twins, but a personality that always wins."

Choir 1; Prom Committee 3; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Lettermans Club 3,4.

JANICE ERICKSON

"A girl with brains and ambition, topped off with a grand disposition."

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Thespians 3,4; Dramatic Club 1,2,3,4; Student Typist 2; Choir 3,4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Serious Declamation 1; Canteen Committee 1; Cheerleaders, B Squad 1; A Squad 2,3,4; Snowball Queen 4; Dance Band 1,2,3.

DORIS FAULKNER

"Doris knows with equal lease, how to vex and how to please."

G.A.A. 1; F.H.A. 1,2; F.B.L.A. 2,3; Dramatic Club 2,3,4; Student Typist 3; Librarian 2; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Extemp. Reading 2; Humorous Declamation 1.

ROBERT FIEBIG ..... "Bob"

"Why should I hurry I'll get there eventually."

REUBON FOTH ..... "Rube"

"A firm believer in the law of conservation of energy."

Commercial Club 1,2,3,4; Camera Club 1; Football 1,2.

JOSEPH GASPER ..... 'Joe"

"Worry and I have never met."

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Track 2.

MARY LOUISE GASPER

"Mary Lou"

"Pretty as a picture -- by the way, nice frame too!"

G.A.A. 4; F.B.L.A. 4; Latin Club 1,2; Dramatic Club 2,3; Choir 4; Glee Club 3,4; Hamot Staff 1; Paper Staff 3,4; Band 1,2,3,4.

La VONNE GNEWIKOW

"When I have something to say, I say it, then I'm done."

F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; F.B.L.A. 2,3,4; Dramatic Club 3, 4; Student Typist 2,3,4; Triple Trio 3; Choir 3,4; Glee Club 2,3,4; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Paper Staff 3.

GLEN GOLDBECK

"He'd do anything for anybody."

DONNA LOU GRAY

"Her heart is as light, as her eyes are bright."

F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; F.B.L.A. 2; Dramatic Club 2,4; Student Typist 3; Prom Committee 3; Paper Staff 4; Band 1,2,3,4.

VONDA RAE GUSTIN

"Sincere and sensible."

F.B.L.A. 2; Latin Club 1,2; Dramatic Club 4; Milwaukee, 3.

WAYNE GUTHRIE

"Happy-go-lucky, I am free, Nothing is there that bothers me."

F.F.A. 1,2,4; Football 3; Boxing 2,3,4; Basketball 1; Track 2,3,4.

RAYMOND GUTHRIE ..... "Ray"

"Our ideals are our better selves."

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Boxing 3.

EDWARD HABELMAN ..... "Ed"

"Eddie and his car are quite a pair, You're most apt to find them anywhere."

Tapdancing 3; F.B.L.A. 3,4; Prom Committee 3; Football 1,2; Boxing 1,2; Track 2,3,4.

ROBERT HEFNER ..... "Bob"

"I never let books interfere with my education."

Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Track 1,2,3,4; Lettermans Club 2,3,4.

JOHN HELMING

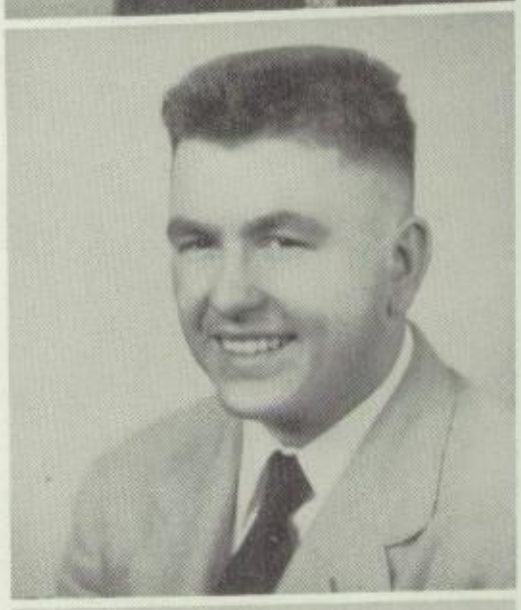
"In F.F.A. he does excel, practicing to be a farmer in the dell."

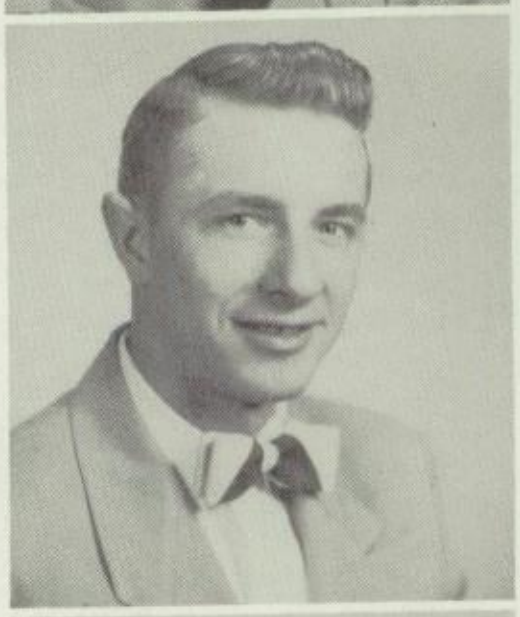
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Camera Club 1; Hamot Staff 4.

PATRICIA HEMSEY ..... "Pat"

"Argue early, Argue late, Argue every day in debate."

G.A.A. 2,3,4; Commercial Club 2,3; Latin Club 1,2,3; Debate 2,3,4; Dramatics Club 2,3,4; Student Typist 2,3,4; Paper Staff 3,4; Extemp. Reading 4; Humorous Declamation 2; Serious Declamation 3,4.





SHIRLEY HONEL

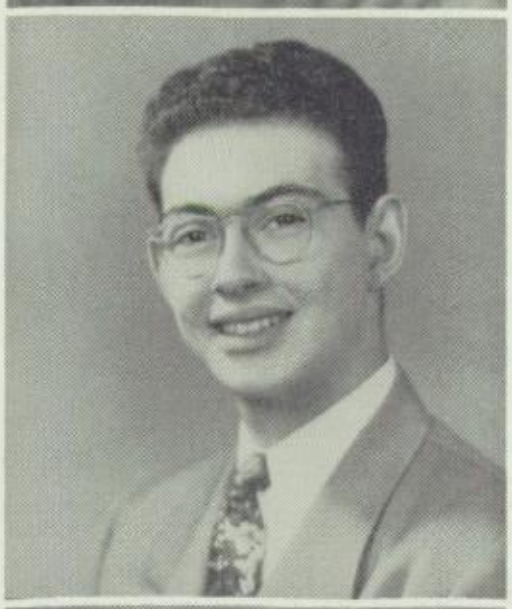
"Her shyness is only skin deep."

F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; F.B.L.A. 2,3,4; Student Typist 3,4; Prom Committee 3; Paper Staff 2, Extemp. Reading 2.

ROBERT HUBERT ..... "Bob"

"To be quite frank and nothing less, He's an all around boy of T.H.S."

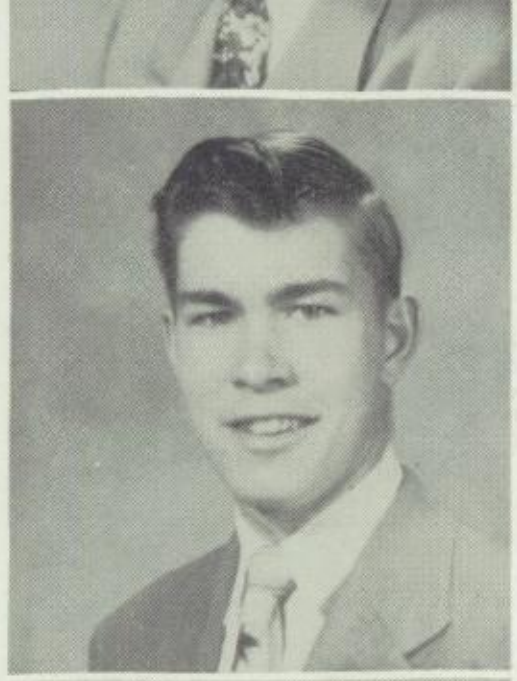
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Class Pres. 4; Hamot Staff 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 2,3; Boxing 1,2,3,4; Track 1,4; Lettermans Club 2,3,4.



JEANNE HYLAND ..... "Jeanie"

"When I don't talk sense, I talk nonsense."

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; F.B.L.A. 2; Dramatic Club 3; Glee Club 2,3,4; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Paper Staff 3; Cheerleaders, B Squad 1,2; A Squad 3,4



DAREL JACKSON

"Ye gods! but I am a man after my own heart."

Football 1,2,3,4; Boxing 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Lettermans Club 2,3,4; Aud. Ushers 2,3,4.

PETER JAFFE ..... "Pete"

"My theme song -- Them bones, them bones them trombones."

Latin Club 1,2; Camera Club 1; Debate 1; Choir 2,3; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 2,3,4; Paper Staff 3; Band 1,2,3,4; Original Oratory 1, 2,4; Non-original Oratory 3; Canteen Committee 1; German Band 3,4; Dance Band 1,2,3.

JOAN JAKICH

"Dark hair, shining eyes, merry humor, she's a prize."

Berlin High School 1; Frankfurt High 2,3.

HERBERT JENSEN ..... "Herb"

"One can't always be a hero, but he can always be a man."

F.F.A. 4; Bethel Academy 1; Battle Creek Academy 3.

MARLENE JORGENSON

"All the world loves a quiet girl."

F.B.L.A. 3; Sketch Club 1,2.

VERLYN JOHNSON

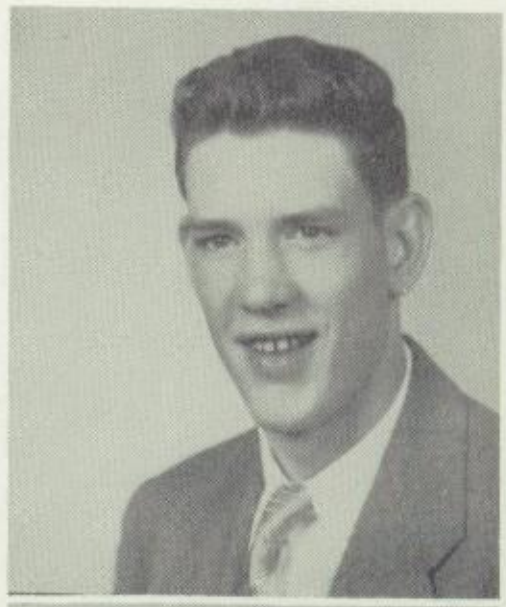
"Many great men were bashful youths."

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Student Typist 4; Track 3,4.

ALICE KAMPMEIER

"Kindness is her pass word, laughter is her talisman."

Harlem Conservatory, Rockford, Illinois 1,2,3; G. A.A. 4; F.H.A. 4.



JAMES KELLER

"8:30 - The bell has rung, an hour or two and James will come."

Choir 4; Band 1,2,3,4.

PATRICIA KELLY ..... "Pat"

"Artistic is her middle name."

F.H.A. 1,2; Latin Club 2,3; Sketch Club 1,2,3,4; Dramatic Club 4; Choir 4; Glee Club 4; Class Secretary 1; Class Treas. 1; Hamot Staff 3,4; Second Band 1; Band 2.

DAVID KLINGE ..... "Dave"

"Made for climbing the tree of knowledge."

Latin Club 2,3; Dramatic Club 2,3; Choir 3,4; Paper Staff 3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1; Lettermans Club 3,4; Canteen Committee 3.

MARILYNN KOCH ..... "Lynn"

"She is editor of the school paper and has friendships that will never taper."

F.H.A. 1; Dramatic Club 3,4; Student Typist 3,4; Homecoming Queen 4; Choir 2,3,4; Glee Club 3, 4; Triple Trio 3,4; Prom Committee 3; Paper Staff 3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Canteen Committee 3,4; Drum Majorette 4.

DONALD KORTBEIN

"A workman is known best for his products."

F.B.L.A. 1,2,3,4; Debate 3; Student Typist 3; Non-original Oratory 3; Cafeteria Worker 1,2,3.

LOIS KORTBEIN

"Sweet as a song."

G.A.A. 2,3,4; Dramatic Club 2,3,4; Student Typist 3,4; Prom Queen 3; Choir 3,4; Glee Club 2,3,4; Triple Trio 3,4; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Paper Staff 3; Band 3,4; Humorous Declamation 3; 4 Min. Speech 1,2.

LOA KRAUSE

"She spins a web of natural charm."

F.H.A. 1; Student Typist 3,4; Choir 4; Glee Club 3,4; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Band 1,2,3,4; Dance Band 1,2,3.

PAUL KRESS

"Frequently with my brain I gently think a thought."

Latin Club 1; Debate 2; Paper Staff 3; Band 1, 2,3; Extemp. Reading 2; Non-original Oratory 1.

EDWINA KRASE ..... "Amy"

"Let the world go as it may, I will take it either way."

G.A.A. 2,3,4; F.B.L.A. 2; Sketch Club 1; Student Typist 3; Glee Club 4; Librarian 2,3; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4.

WILLIAM KRUEGER ..... "Bill"

"If bright remarks were grains of sand, he'd be a whole desert."

Latin Club 1,2,3; Camera Club 1; Debate 1,2,3, 4; Dramatic Club 1; Choir 1,2,3,4; Class Vice Pres. 3; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Paper Staff 3; Band 1,2,3,4; Extemp. Reading 2,3,4; Original Oratory 1; Canteen Committee 1.

DONNA KROEGER

"Red hair, green eyes, quick step, Here's a girl with lots of pep."

G.A.A. 3,4; Sketch Club 1; Dramatic Club 3,4; Student Typist 3; Glee Club 3,4; Prom Committee 3; Paper Staff 3,4.

ELIZABETH LAUFENBERG
"Laufie"

"Stay as sweet and nice as you are, We are sure that you will go far."

Librarian 4; Prom Committee 3.

DORIS LEIS

"Thy modesty is a credit to thy merit."

Latin Club 2; Prom Committee 3; Seneca High School 1.

CAROL LENSCHOW

"To all she'll lend a helping hand, as a friend, we think she's grand."

Latin Club 1,3; Sketch Club 1,2; Debate 2; Hamot Staff 2,4; Paper Staff 2.

JAMES LENZ ..... "Jim"

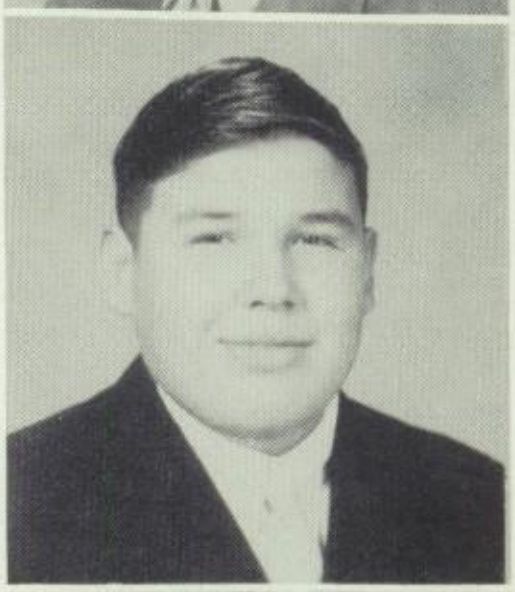
"The one and only big he-man! He must eat the spinach by the can."

Prom King 3; Choir 1,2,3; Boys Glee Club 1; Class Pres. 3; Prom Committee 3; Football 1,2; Basketball 1; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Lettermans Club 2,3,4; Aud. Ushers 3,4; Sergeant-at-Arms 2.

HAROLD LIETZ

"The finest are the quiet ones."

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4.



MARGARET LOFTUS

"You never know what you can do until you try."

F.B.L.A. 3; Dramatic Club 4; Student Typist 4; Prom Committee 3; Band 4; Savanna High School 1,2.

RICHARD LOWE

"Life's no longer if we hurry, life's no better if we worry."

Football 1,2; Track 1,2; Athletic Managers 3,4.

BEVERLY LUDEKING ..... "Bev"

"A disposition as bright as the summer sun."

F.H.A. 1,3; Student Typist 4; Glee Club 3,4; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Band 1,2,3,4.

LEWIS LUECK

"Full of good nature."

F.F.A. 4; Cafeteria worker 2,3,4.

CAROL MARTEN

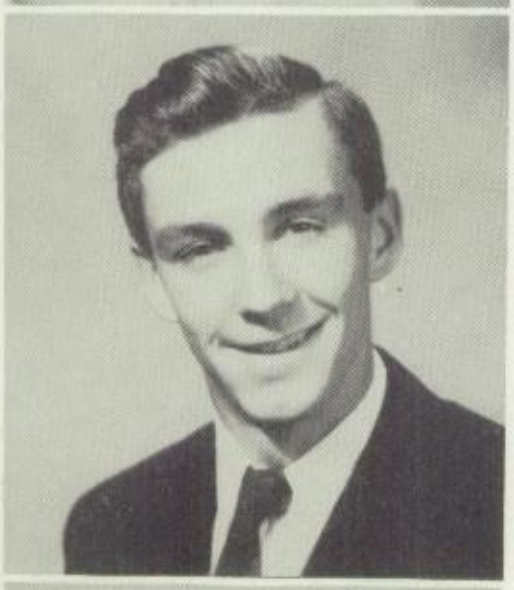
"A little quiet, A little shy, But her smile will never pass you by."

F.B.L.A. 2,3; Dramatic Club 3; Student Typist 3; Prom Committee 3; Band 3,4.

JOYCE Mc FARLENE

"A little better than the one you thought best."

F.H.A. 1; F.B.L.A. 1; Student Typist 2,3,4; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Paper Staff 4; Band 2,3,4.



DAVID MUEHLENKAMP

"Always smiling never sad, Plenty of good and not much bad."

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Boxing 1,3,4; Letterman Club 4.

RITA NIEBUHR

"Gay sense of humor, Twinkle in her eye, For her the sun is always shining brightly in the sky!"

G.A.A. 2,3,4; F.B.L.A. 1,2,3,4; Debate 3; Dramatic Club 1,2,3,4; Student Typist 2,3,4; Office Worker 4; Prom Committee 3; Paper Staff 2,3,4.

LIOYD OAKES

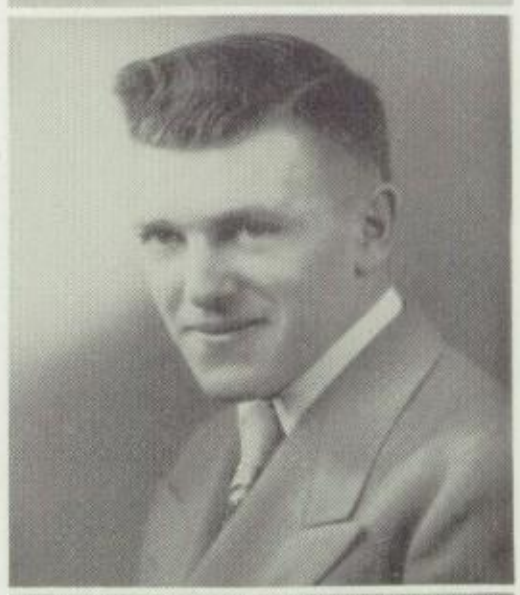
"Beware I might do something sensational yet."

Choir 1,2,3,4; Boys Quartet 2,3; Sgt.-at-arms 3; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Track 1,2,3,4; Boxing Manager 3,4.

RAY O'CONNOR

"Life is what you make it, The world is how you take it."

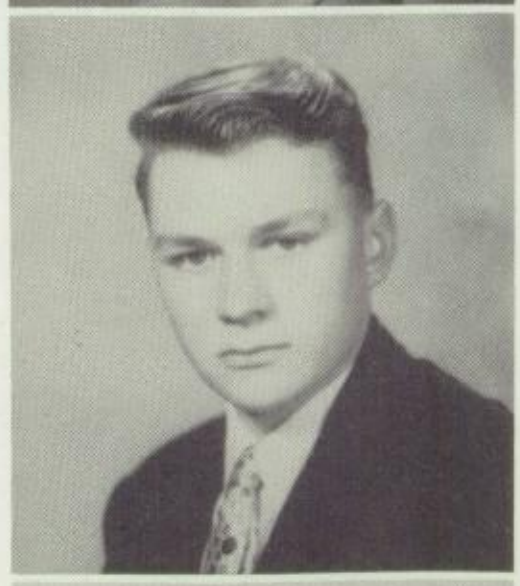
F.F.A. 4.



BEVERLY ODEN ..... "Bev"

"An axis on the wheel of laughter."

F.H.A. 1; Commercial Club 2; Dramatic Club 4; Choir 2,3,4; Glee Club 2,3,4; Triple Trio 3,4; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Band 1.



NAIDA OLSON

"She has an uncomplaining style, A way of winning with her fascinating smile."

Latin Club 3,4; Student Typist 3,4.

DONNA PARKER

"Some of the biggest hearts are in the smallest people."

WILMER PIERCE

"From worry and care I'm free, Why aren't they all contented like me?"

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4.

BETTY PROCHNOW

"An individual with individuality."

G.A.A. 1; F.H.A. 4; Extemp. Reading 3; Four Min. Speech 1; Cafeteria Helper 1,2,3,4.

DELORES PROCHNOW

"A peppy person with a cheerful personality."

G.A.A. 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Sketch Club 2,3; Student Typist 3; Librarian 4.

BERNADINE PRECHEL

"The more we know her the better we like her."

Glee Club 2,3; Prom Committee 3.

CONNIE PURDY

"Unfathomed sweetness in her nature."

F.H.A. 3; Student Typist 3,4.

KORWIN QUIST

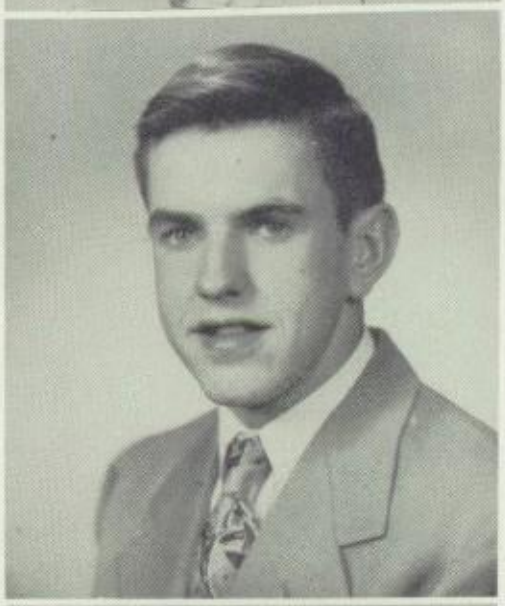
"A little nonsense now and then."

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Football 3; Boxing 2; Track 1,2, 3,4.

JOHN RATTLE ..... "Jack"

"A girl! A girl! My kingdom for a girl."

Football 1,2,3,4; Boxing 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Lettermans Club 2,3,4.



WARD RAWHOUSER

"Many his friends, none his foe; He's a boy we're all proud to know."

Student Typist 3; Football 1,2; Track 1,2,3,4; Lettermans Club 3,4.

CAROLEE ROOF

"She lives at peace with all mankind, In friendships she is true."

F.H.A. 1; New Lisbon 2.

LOIS ROSCOVIUS

"Just a girl, blond and sweet, with a face that's just as neat."

Student Typist 3; Choir 3; Glee Club 3; Prom Committee 3; F.H.A. 4.

LORNA ROSCOVIUS

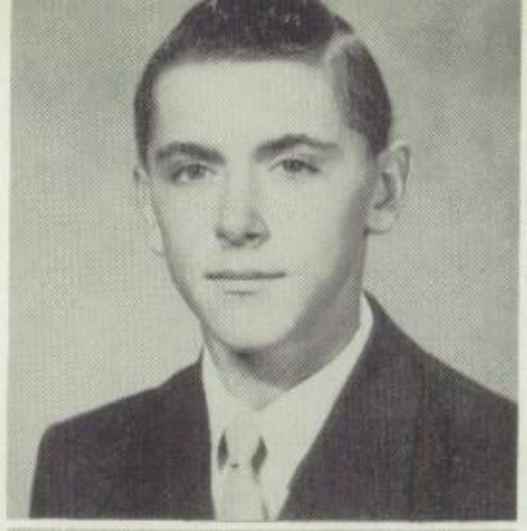
"Her good nature is measured by the yard."

Prom Committee 3 Glee Club 4.

ARNOLD ROSENOW

"In life I have a lot of fun, but when there's work I get it done."

Student Typist 2,3,4; Band 4; Non-original Oratory 3,4; 4 Min. Speech 1.



GERALD RUDOLPH ..... "Gerry"

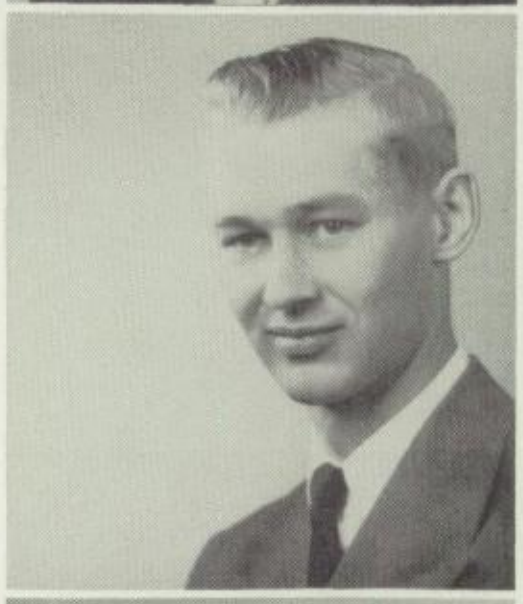
"Speech is great, but silence is greater."

Hamot Staff 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Boxing 2,3,4; Track 2,3,4; Lettermans Club 2,3,4; Athletic Managers 1.

DOUGLAS SALZWEDEL

"A prince of a fella."

F.B.L.A. 2; Sketch Club 2,3; Cadet Band 1; Band 2,3,4.



MARCELLA SCHALLER .. "Marce"

"Just because I'm little, Tis no reason to fret, for I'll show my way through this world yet."

F.H.A. 1,2; Dramatic Club 4; Band 4.

MARGARET SCHENDEL

"She always has her share of fun, never stopping till the day is done."

G.A.A. 2,3,4; F.H.A. 1,2; F.B.L.A. 2,3; Prom Committee 3.

JANE SCHEURICH

"As joyous as a ferris wheel."

F.B.L.A. 2; Latin Club 1,2; Dramatic Club 4; Student Typist 2,3; Choir 2,3,4; Glee Club 2,3,4; Office Worker 4; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4.

KATHLEEN SCHILHABEL

"Here's to the smile that none can over cast."

F.H.A. 1,3; F.B.L.A. 2.

FAITH SCHMALZ

"The light-haired smiling lass has dimples the envy of her class."

F.B.L.A. 3; Prom Committee 3; F.H.A. 4; Dramatic Club 4; Glee Club 4; Wilton High School 1,2.

GORDON SCHMIDT

"I may be president yet, a good man can't be held down forever."

F.B.L.A. 3; Boxing 2; Paper Staff 3; F.F.A. 4; Cafeteria Worker 1,2,3,4.

MARLYN SCHROEDER

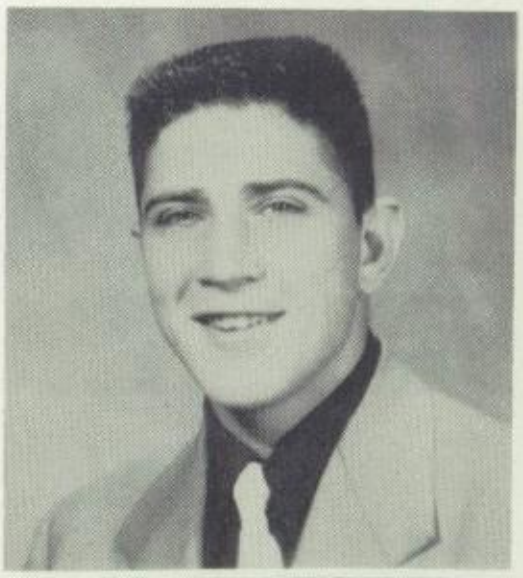
"It's nice to be natural -- when your naturally nice."

F.B.L.A. 1; Student Typist 3,4.

MILES SCHROEDER

"Happy-go-lucky -- That's me all over."

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; F.B.L.A. 4; Track 2,4.



DANIEL SCHULTZ ..... "Danny"

"Lively, good natured, not a care has he."

Prom Committee 3; Football 1,2; Baseball 1,2,3,4.

ELIZABETH SCHULTZ .... "Betty"

"We know her by her joyous airs, her bright black eyes, her bright black hair."

G.A.A. 3,4; F.H.A. 4; F.B.L.A. 3; Dramatic Club 3,4; Student Typist 3,4; Librarian 3,4; Class Secretary 2; Class Treas. 2; Prom Committee 3; Paper Staff 3; Homecoming Attendant 3,4.

JOHN SCHULTZ

"Absolutely harmless."

Class Vice Pres. 4; Prom Committee 3; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3; Lettermans Club 3,4; Athletic Managers 4.

CRAIG SCOTT

"A mind of your own is worth four of your friends."

Sketch Club 3; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Paper Staff 3; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1; Boxing 1,2; Track 1,2,3,4; Lettermans Club 3,4; Non-original Oratory 2.

MARY LOU SELL

"She may not be very tall, But good things come in parcels small."

DeWERD SHATTUCK

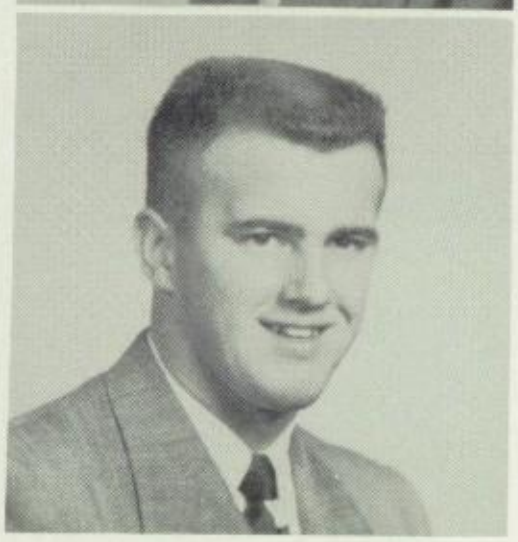
"Let the world go by, I'll not budge an inch."

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Boxing 1,2; Track 1,2,3,4; Lettermans Club 4.

EDWIN SHIE

"A bachelors life for me."

F.F.A. 12,3,4; F.B.L.A. 4; Boxing 4.



RICHARD SHUTTER ..... "Dick"

"It is useless arguing with the inevitable."

F.B.L.A. 1,2; Choir 2,3,4; Class Pres. 1,2; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Track 1; Lettermans Club 1,2,3,4; 4 Min. Speech 1,2; Canteen Committee 1.

ELDON SONNENBURG

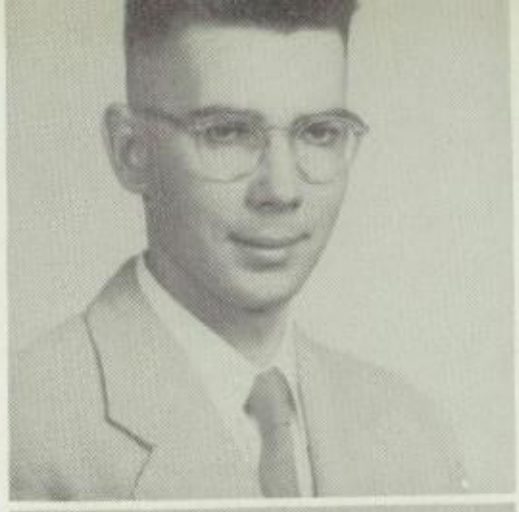
"The world knows nothing of perhaps her greatest men."

F.B.L.A. 2,3,4; Student Typist 3; Band 3,4; Baseball 2,3,4.

RICHARD SORENSON .... "Rich"

"Many great men are dying everyday I don't feel so well myself."

Dramatic Club 3,4; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Paper Staff 3; Track 3,4; Aud. Ushers 4; Canteen Committee 4.



BARBARA SOWLE

"Fair manners are more expressive than words."

G.A.A. 2,3,4; F.H.A. 4; F.B.L.A. 2; Latin Club 1,2; Dramatic Club 2,3; Librarian 1,3; Paper Staff 1; Band 1,2,3,4.

GORDON STELTER

"If I ever find love I'll analyze it in a test tube."

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; F.B.L.A. 2,3; Student Typist 3, 4; Choir 3,4; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Paper Staff 3; Band 1,2,3,4; Original Oratory 3; Non-original Oratory 2; 4 Min. Speech 4.

PATRICIA STICKLER ..... "Pat"

"Winning is her way, pleasent is her smile."

F.B.L.A. 4; Glee Club 3,4; Prom Committee 3.

JEAN STODDARD

"Sunny all the day."

G.A.A. 2,3,4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; F.B.L.A. 2,3,4; Dramatic Club 4; Student Typist 3,4.

KIETH STORKEL

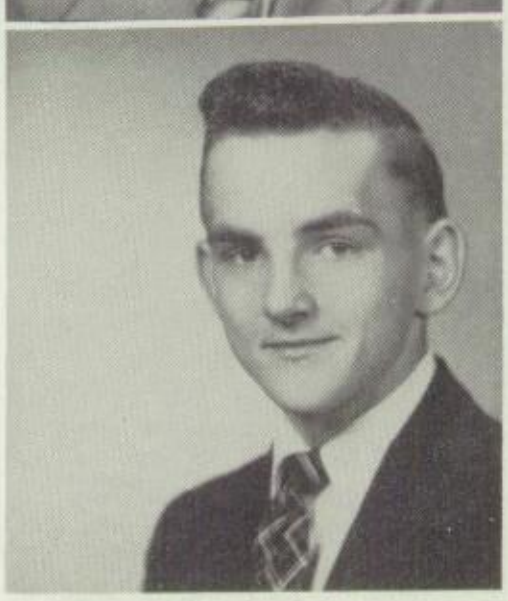
"SOME day I'll be great."

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Cadet Band 1,2,3.

LEE STROZINSKY ..... "Stro"

"A rolling stone gathers no moss."

Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Band 1,2,3,4.



ROBERT SUTTON ..... "Bob"

"All work and no fun is not the life for me."

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4.

JOHN THOM ..... "Jack"

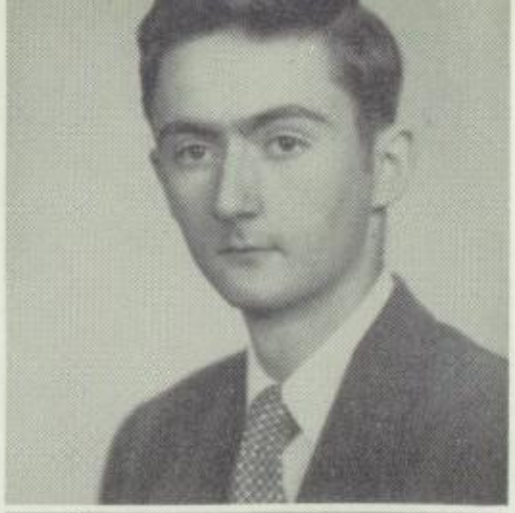
"Love is different with us men."

Prom Committee 3; Boxing 2,3,4.

BEVERLY TOMPKINS ..... "Bev"

"A friendly girl from tip to toe."

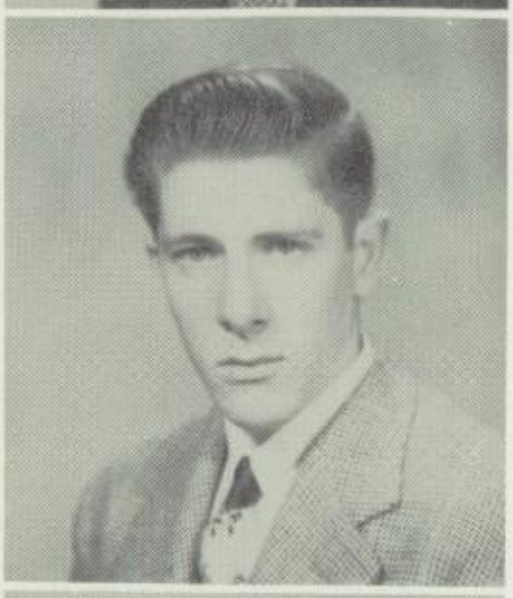
G.A.A. 2,3,4; F.H.A. 1; Student Typist 2,3,4; Choir 3,4; Glee Club 3,4; Triple Trio 3,4; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Paper Staff 3.



RAYMOND TREAT ..... "Ray"

"Here is Romeo, But who and where is Juliet?"

Latin Club 2,3; Camera Club 1; Debate 3,4; Dramatic Club 2,3; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 3; Paper Staff 4; Band 1,2,3,4; Boxing 1, 2,4; Track 2,3,4; Extemp. Reading 1,2,3,4; Non-original Oratory 3; 4 Min. Speech 2.



JOHN UDULUTCH ..... "Jack"

"If goodness was only measured by statue."

F.F.A. 1.

WILLIAM VINEY ..... "Bill"

"After four years of faithful service I'm laid off."

F.F.A. 3; F.B.L.A. Football 3; Boxing 2; Track 1,2,3,4.

ALMYRA VON HADEN

"Her quiet charm you must confess, Will certainly bring you happiness."

Student Typist 3,4; Librarian 4; Prom Committee 3.

JAMES VON HADEN ..... "Jim"

"A little fun along with work, Doesn't mean that I'm a shirk."

Football 1,2; Boxing 2,3,4.

PETER WERSAL ..... "Pete"

"A little nonsense now and then, Is relished by the best of men."

Boxing 3,4; Madison East 2,3.

DONNA WARNKE

"She has a smile that fits her face, and she wears it everyday."

G.A.A. 3,4; F.B.L.A. 2; Student Typist 2,3,4; Librarian 4; Prom Committee 3.

ALICE WALWORTH

"She has a smile and a kind word for all."

DELORES WESTFALL

"She is so very kind and sweet - always willing to do her share."

F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; F.B.L.A. 2,3,4; Dramatic Club 3,4; Student Typist 2,3,4; Choir 3,4; Glee Club 2,3,4; Triple Trio 3; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Paper Staff 3.

HELEN JOY WESTPFAHL

"She loves gayiety and fun, her cup of joy is thrice over run."

G.A.A. 3,4; F.H.A. 3,4; F.B.L.A. 2,3; Glee Club 3; Prom Committee 3; Twirler 1,2,3,4.

PATRICIA WESTPFAHL .. "Pat"

"She's a girl with a heart of gold Who is care freè and happy but never bold."

G.A.A. 3,4; F.H.A. 1,3,4; Prom Committee 3.

ROY WHITNEY

"While there is life, let's live it."

Track 2.

VIRGINIA WITT

"Laughing is contagious, so don't get near me."

F.H.A. 1,3; F.B.L.A. 2; Student Typist 3,4; Choir 1; Glee Club 3,4; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Band 2,3,4; Humorous Declamation 2; Dance Band 3.

JIMMIE WITZ ..... "Jim"

"I may be small but remember Napoleon."

Basketball 1; Baseball 1; Boxing 1,2,3,4; Lettermans Club 2,3,4.

ROBERT WITZ ..... "Bob"

"Inebriated with exuberance of his own verbosity."

Hamot Staff 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Lettermans Club 2,3,4.

LaVONNE WOLFORD

"Full of pep full of fun, She's a friend to everyone."

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; F.B.L.A. 2,3,4; Dramatic Club 3,4; Student Typist 2,3; Choir 4; Glee Club 3,4; Class Secretary and Treas 4; Prom Committee 3; Hamot Staff 4; Paper Staff 3; Cheerleader B squad 2,3; A squad 4.

LORRAINE ZIMMERMAN

"A lively girl with a smiling face."

Student Typist 3,4; Hamot Staff 4.

EDWIN SMOKE ..... "Ed"

"No sinner, nor no saint perhaps, but very well the best of chaps."

U. S. Navy.

D. A. R.

STEPHANY CREMER

Stephany Cremer has been selected by the Senior Class and faculty members to represent Tomah High School as Good Citizen in the annual Good Citizen Pilgrimage sponsored by the Daughters of the American Revolution. The choice is based on dependability, service, leadership, and patriotism. Stephany has been a good student during her four years at Tomah High and has participated in the following activities: Latin Club 1-2; Dramatic Club 2,3; Choir 2,3,4; Glee Club 2,3,4; Triple Trio 3; Office Worker 4; Class Secretary-Treasurer 3; Prom Committee 3; D.A.R. 4; Hamot Staff 4; Paper Staff 3; 4 Minute Speech 2; Canteen Committee 3.

She is popular with the members of her class and is a good choice for this honor.

Scholastic Record

1. Janice Erickson .....97.
2. Donna Clay 96.142
   Donna Kroeger 96.142
3. David Klinge 95.5
   Joyce McFarlane 95.5
4. Carol Lenschow 95.344
5. LaVonne Gnewikow 95.285
6. Barbara Carson 95.25
7. Gordon Stelter 95.035
8. Patsy Hemsey 94.857
   Raymond Treat 94.857
9. Doris Leis 94.642
10. Richard Shutter 94.392
11. John Helming 94.357
12. Rita Niebuhr 94.214
13. Lavonne Wolford .....94.
14. Virginia Witt 93.357
15. Mary Stephany Cremer 93.142
16. Loa Krause 92.928
17. Everett Chambers 92.892
18. Beverly Ludeking 92.5
19. Lois Kortbein 91.785
20. Robert Witz 91.5
21. Delores Westfall 91.464
22. Paul Kress 91.454
23. Craig Scott 91.428
24. Naida Olson 90.964
    Richard Sorenson 90.964
25. Donald Kortbein 90.928

JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

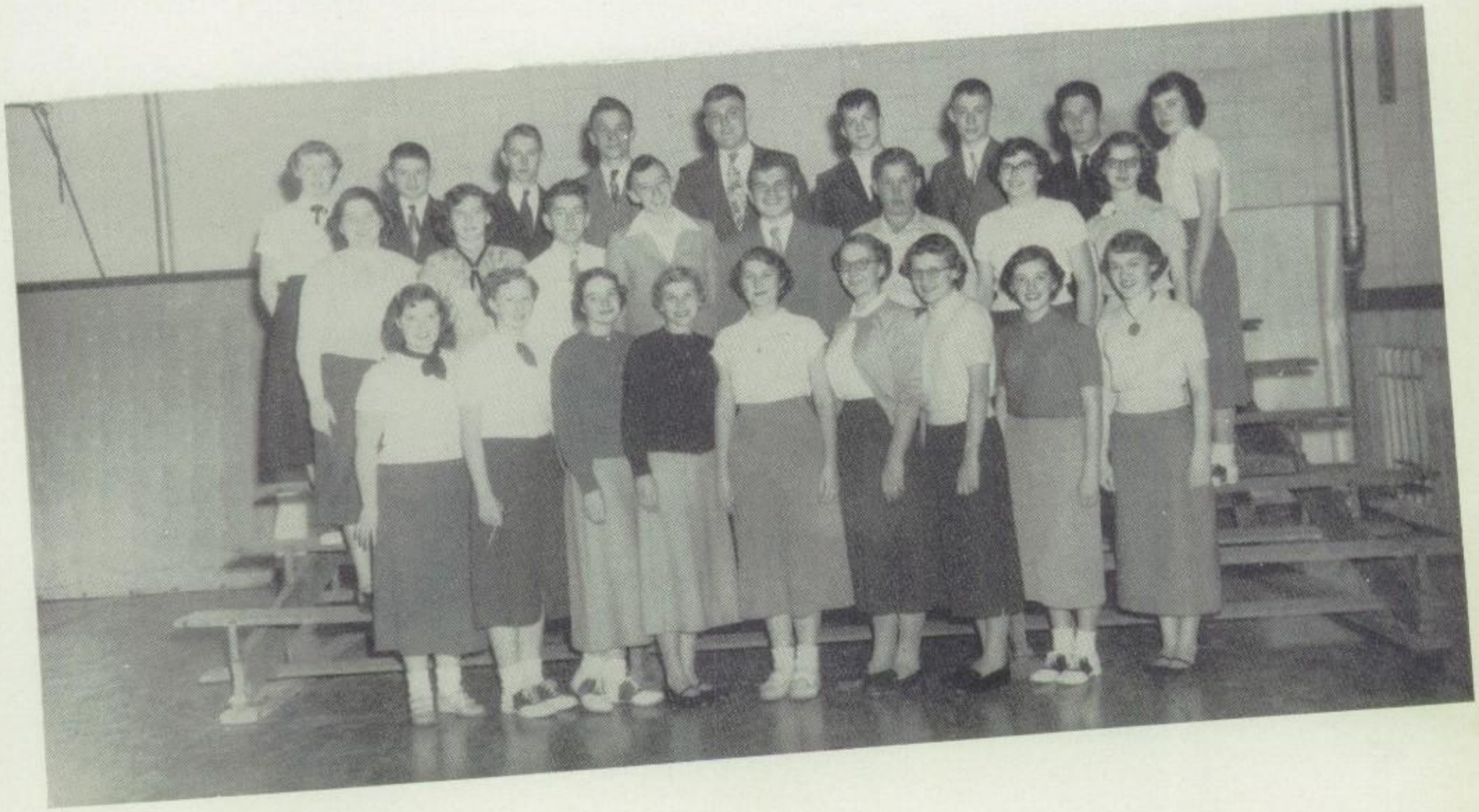
Lon Roeske ..... *Sergeant-at-Arms*
Sharron Fischer ..... *Secretary-Treasurer*
Marvin Sage ..... *President*
Wayne Stoltz ..... *Vice-President*

Class of 1953

The fall of 1951, found 133 Juniors climbing the hill to dear old Tomah High, for another year of hard (?) work. Remember the class election, and the campaigning done by the certain members of our class? After quite a little wondering and suspense, the class officers were finally elected. The results were as follows: President, Marvin Sage; Vice President, Wayne Stolz; Secretary-Treasurer, Sharron Fischer; and Sergeant-at-Arms, Lon Roeske. Remember when those first report cards of the year came out? Some of us were mighty worried for awhile. The Junior Class was well represented in the many school activities. Many of our girls and boys were found to be doing outstanding work. Of course we will always remember the Junior Prom, which we think was the most important event of the year. Now our Junior year is just a "Remember When" and we all look forward to next year, when we return to Tomah High as seniors.

Row 3: *Robert Betthauser, Darwin Freemore, Herman Bauman, Robert Chase, Curt Cooksey, Howard DeFord, David Cline, Claire Attlen, Dean Goldbeck, Kieth Braund,* Row 2: *Robert Dechant, Rachel Deere, Pauline Bailey, Glendenna Brennan, Sharron Fischer, Betty Chase, Elaine Guthrie, Wilda Blaske, Ruth Gerke, Beverly Barry, Betty Bruder, Duane Giraud.* Row 1: *Roween Dunlap, Iney Foth, Donna Bernhardt, Dick Eirschele, Bill Dorn, Donald Gatzke, Valdon Evens, LaVonne Burkhalter, Mary Ann Bailey, Helen Mae Goetz, Jeannine Bernhardt.*

Row 3: *Joanne Jensen, Ronald Kruk, Harold Honish, Robert Kemp, Robert Jerdee, Charles Habelman, Donald Jerdee, Robert Kirchoff.* Row 2: *Irene Holtz, Ruth Hancock, Dean Handy, Jack Heurman, Casimir Kruichak, Charles Lee, Janice Grimshaw, Ruth Ann Hilger.* Row 1: *Judy Jerdee, Carol Griggs, Allaire Hess, Joyce Laurenz, Cecilia Hubert, Shirley Haase, Charlott Jerdee, Judy Klinge,*



Row 3: *Norma Jean Pingle, Joe Pearson, Conrad Wadel, Gene Moseley, Harold Meyer, Raymond Marten, Gerald Olson, Tom Peterson, John Love, Marlyn Mc Mullen,* Row 2: *Lester Mc Ginnis, Joyce Newlin, Dorothy Mistele, Marie Pingel, Renee Prine, Nellie Richards, Velda Rochester, Dorothy Rezin, Herbert Linder,* Row 1: *Alice Miller, Joan Rice, Shirley Mc Caskey, Alvera Neuman, Mary Popenfus, Robert Rogge, Norris Rawhauser, Grace Linneberg, Beverly Maly, Mary Ann Lord, Shirley Linder, Elaine Peardot.*

Row 3: *Marvin Zilmer, Donald Russel, Merlyn Vandervort, Marvin Sage, Kieth Tucker, Wayne Stoltz, Jaffery Warren, Conrad Wadel, Eldon Uischner, Roland Van Haden,* Row 2:*Gene Tway, Dale Wagner, Wanda Wolford, Harriet White, Shirley Stafslien, Donna Shaffer, Claudine Vandervort, Joyce Ziegler, June Sole, Mary Selkey, Clavin Tralmer, Daniel Stein,* Row 1: *Curtis Tiber, Corwin Tralmer, Terese Wolf, Carol Zarhte, Jo Ann Vos, Charlene Sell, Beulah Stickler, Jean Wegner, Meredith Taylor, Marjorie Ward, Morris Schamens, Alfred Waltermath.*

SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS

President ..... *Gary Kock*
Vice-President ..... *Joanne Pongratz*
Secretary-Treasurer ..... *Marlene Burnstad*
Sergeant-at-Arms ..... *Thomas Clay*

Class of 1954

After a summer's vacation 178 "snappy" Sophomores scurried to the hilltop to renew old friendships, make new ones and also to look up a bit of wisdom. For our leaders we chose Gary Koch, President; Joan Pongratz, Vice-President; Marlene Burnstad, Secretary-Treasurer; and Thomas Clay, Sergeant-at-Arms. We sponsored the annual Sophomore Day program in November which was presented to our parents. Through this program we tried to show them the things we do and the opportunities we have in our Sophomore year. Lunch was served to our parents in the lobby which was decorated with a Thanksgiving theme. Many Sophomores were active in the many activities of T.H.S. such as sports, music, debate, Junior Red Cross, F.H.A., F.B.L.A., F.F.A., Latin Club, and Sketch Club. Many enjoyable parties were sponsored by our class. We are grateful to the leadership of Miss Reiser, our class advisor, and our other teachers. We hope to fulfill capably the vacancy the Juniors will leave and are looking foreward to another year on the hill where stands our High School.

Row 4: *Thomas Clay, Myron Betthauser, Robert Dahl, Jack Cook, Dwayne Adrion, Donald Bernhardt, Jim Feidler, Walter Feidler, James Cook.* Row 3; *Delores Ebert, Donald Clements, Marlene Burnstad, Lea Beigel, Lyle Anderson, Richard Dahl, Duane Finch, Walter Devoe, Eugene Churchill, Henry Felber, William Bernhardt.* Row 2: *Delores Foth, Nancy Calkins, Rae Ekern, Delphis Erbs, Marilyn Attelyn, Norma Jean Anderson, Patricia Downs, Shyla Fischer, Marlene Benjamin, Lyle Anderson, William Baumgarten.* Row 1; *Stuart Crane, Hazel Bruder, Donna Fiebig, Mary Beardsley, Maxine Attwell, Martha Beltz, Charlotte Bodette, Evelyn Damerow, Beverly Bunde, Dorothy Bailey, Dorothy Degenhardt, Lillian Fuchs, Beverly Carlson.*

Row 4: *Donald Kelley, Dale Peirce, John Jackish, Gaylon Jorgenson, Glen Lawrence, Joyce Leitz, Patra Holter, Darlene Martin, Richard Jerdee, Gary Koch, David Krueger, Ronald Lawrence, Joe Kubie.* Row 3: *Edwin Heilman, Weston Hart, Marie Griffin, Carol Griffin, Joyce Jorgenson, Shirley Johnson, Virginia Gerwing, Marie Jones, Lorna Hoag, Joyce Kortbein, Bessie Rose, David Holum.* Row 2: *Carleen Lenz, Eldora Harmel, Geraldine Gerwing, Shirley Jackson, Lydia Griffin, Lorna Hart, Bette Hall, Maxine Gerke, Geraldine Henry, Roland Keuhl.* Row 1: *Walter Ludeking, Helen Johnson, Violet Jeffers, Agnes Henning, Donna Kelley, Carol Handy, Darlene Libke, Geraldine Hurley, Amelia Hoffman, Ellorna Hart, Euphrasia Kruichak, Beatrice Gilson, John Kortbein.*

Row 4: George Peunt, Russel Griffin, Ronald Lueck, Harold Peth, Paul Lydon, Richard Ninneman, Francis Roberts, Phyliss Olsen, Roy Mace, Howard Prell William Miller, Duane Rosenow, David Redd. Row 3: Harlan Meldison, James Miller, Loren Pierce, Betty Reekie, Gretchen Monick, Sharron Purdy, Evonne Seflow, Rae Ellen Mistele, Richard Wadepahl, James Schappe, Robert Neibuhr, Roland Maum. Row 2: Donald Rattle, Carl Stater, Charlotte Ornes, Barbara Myers, Evelyn Matske, Mary Lou Monahan, Rose Ann Plier, Jean McCollough, Shirley McCollough, JoAnn Schultz, Wilma Rhodes, Joyce Olsen. Row 1: Joanne Pongratz, Donna Pernett, Delores Parker, Patricia Roeder, Mary Jean Roh, Sharon Ott, Dorothy Rapp, Bernice Rowle, Glenda Oakes, Mary Lou Polley, Bruce Otto, Frank Kerska.

Row 3: LaMont Zellmer, Carl Selky, Jerry Stees, James Wersal, Loren Stoltz, Ronald Sowle, Dale Trowbridge, Edwin Scott, Ted Sorenson. Row 2: Kenneth Stark, Roger Schone, LaVerna Streeter, Joan Zillmer, Leon Summerfield, James Wagner, Robert Welch, Gene Schaffer. Row 1: Ronald Vandervort, Jean Storkel, Carol Jean Sowle, Marie Vinney, Mary Ann Zastrow, Arlis Thompson, Esther Schield, Alice White, John Shutter, Merlyn Westpfahl.

FRESHMEN CLASS OFFICERS

Frederick Pongratz ..... *President*
William Clannahan ..... *Vice-President*
Dee Braund ..... *Treasurer*
Irene Skogen ..... *Secretary*
John Kenny ..... *Sergeant-at-Arms*

Class of 1955

The fall of 1951 arrived and two hundred ten strong, we stormed the High School Hill to what was to be our haven for the next four years. Yes, we were green as all Freshies, getting into the wrong class rooms, not being able to open our lockers, walking the wrong way in the halls, but in a few weeks we were accustomed to the routine of High School life. We Freshmen were not to be out-done by the upper classmen, as we toiled over our float, "Let's Skunk 'Em" for the homecoming parade. We skunked them all by winning first place. Remember those days of anticipation? At last December 13, Freshmen Day, arrived. This was the time for us to display our talents to our proud parents. What fun it was to show them our lovely school and have them become acquainted with our teachers. Do you recall the Freshmen Party February 8, and all the fun we had making it one of the best parties of the year? As the year came to a close we realized many of our goals had been achieved but there was still much to be done in our next three years so our class too would be a credit to Tomah High.

Row 3: *Dee Braund, Irwin Capaul, Claude Davis, Bill Clanahan, Melvyn Bickle, Donald Dechant, Leland Betthauser, Gary Brockman, Robert Conant, James Atteln, Phillip Deer.* Row 2: *Bill Attewell, Robert Allen, Bertha Bigelow, Ann Betthauser, Alice Bernhardt, Marlene Baumann, Rita Cram, Kathleen Clumpner, Nancy Cook, Gerald Betthauser, John Clemmerson.* Row 1: *Leon Andres, Richard Degenhardt, Margaret Cunningham, Ruby Day, Mary DeFord, Maxine Alderman, Carole Bailey, Louise Crouch, Barbara Dame, Duane Bernhardt, Arnold Callahan.*

Row 3: *Donn Eckelberg, John Honish, Arnold Harmel, Jerome Gasper, Duane Hoag, Nancy Henry, Kieth Ferries, Larry Gruen, John Downs, Jimmy Heilman, Dean Gray.* Row 2: *Nelson Drinkwine, Bob Finch, Victor Evans, Richard Franco, Lee Ann Griffin, Geraldine Honel, Robert Holter, Rita Hart, Sylvester Heilman, Dean Giraud, Dave Eckelberg, Royce Hart.* Row 1: *Maxine Graewin, Garnet Griffin, Marlene Hackett, Beverly Haywood, Eilleen Guthrie, Verneta Heser, Betty Fischer, Mary Fuerstenberg, Geraldine Ebert, Charlene Griffin, Darlene Goetz, LaVonne Frye.*

Row 3: *Norma Jorgenson, Betty Legore, Alice Larsen, Donald Johnson, Charles Jorgenson, Meredith Lange, Janiece Jerdee, Carolyn John, Joe Kirkwood.* Row 2: *Reuben Johnson, Oran Lowe, Charleen Keene, Jeanette Kamrath, Darlene Johnson, Margaret Kleveno, Gloria Lietz, Grace Lietz, John Kenny, Edward Jackich.* Row 1: *Leonard Kube, Alta Huettel, Mary Kneeland, Darlene Janusheske, Delores Kidrick, Joyce Hubert, Carol Kortbein, Beverly Libbey, Richard Larsen.*

Row 3: *Fred Pongratz, Chester Moore, Richard Schroeder, Jeanette Pingel, Dean Nordstrom, Robert Pollard, Elmon Markin, Judy Menneke, Ada Mark, John Nielson, Rudy Pirnot.* Row 2: *Stanley Meyer, Carol Parrish, Bertha Ostertag, Emily Organ, Marlene Mallory, Phoebe Olson, Charles Morgan, Helen Mack, Marian Marx, Janice Miller, Terry Popenfus.* Row 1: *Randall Murray, Joy Parrish, Patsy Patterson, Betty Nauman, Ardell Mikkelson, Betty Pirnot, Marian Pierce, Shirley O'Connor, Arliss Pierce, Sharleanne Ott, Duane Marten.*

Row 3: *Dick Rentz, John Rice, Willis Siver, Allan Schell, Dean Rehberg, Roger Protz, Norel Quist, Ronald Prescott, Jon Sorenson, Orlin Root.* Row 2: *Ruth Anne Rogge, Ruth Prochnow, Linda Slater, Beverly Redman, Audrey Schroeder, Joan Prell, Nancy Schroeder, Ann Rose, Judy Soderstrom, Evelyn Sonenberg, Patty Shattuck, Carol Rawhauser,* Row 1: *Hilary Schaller, Jeanne Snowberry, Irene Skogen, Howard Shutter, Frances Prell, Joanne Snowberry, Robert Roscovious, Donald Schendel, Marlene Schultz, Agnes Selz, Betty Prescott.*

Row 3: *Maurice Wegner, Evelyn Crawford, Darlene Von Haden, Jean Stelter, Donald Nelson, Norman White, Lambert Von Ruden, John Wilkinson, Berniece Westpfahl, Marjorie Waugh, Leo Stratton, Arthur Slater.* Row 2: *Gary Storkel, Donna Welch, Louise Stratton, Verla Tryggestad, Valice Tryggestad, Rita Zimmerman, Carrol Westpfahl, Marian Woodard, Jackie Wentz, Martin Thomsin, Phil Tway.* Row 1: *Gwen Williams, Louie Storkel, Walter Woods, Marjorie Vanderwort, Audrey Walworth, Sylvia Shaw, Darlene West, Shirley Stark, Delpha Murdock, Walter Taylor, James Wisby, Rodney Ulteig.*

MISS DURST, MR. WALDEN, MRS. HANSON

Junior High

This year our Junior High consists of 37 seventh graders and 42 eighth graders. They occupy three rooms and have the following teachers: Miss Durst, Math; Mrs. Hanson, English; Mr. Walden, Social Science and Science; Miss Rehwinkel and Mr. Gatzke, Phy. Ed.; Miss Dunne and Mrs. Nachtigal, vocal music; and Mr. Mewaldt, band. This year, officers were elected for separate homerooms. The seventh graders in Room 301 elected the following: President, Deanna Dettie; Vice-President, Tom Carlson; Secretary, Patty Gilner; Treasurer, Linda Berry; Sergeant-of-Arms, David Pederson. In Room 302, the eighth grade elected the following officers: President, Robert Dvorak; Vice-President, Douglas Otto; Secretary, Jane Gempler; Treasurer, Arnold Bloyer. Room 303 is used by both seventh and eighth graders. Their officers are: President, Judy Bean; Vice-President, Charles Wersal; Secretary-Treasurer, Michael Clumpner; Sergeant-of-Arms, Duane Senogles. Our Junior High is engaged in many activities. One of the social functions is the Birthday Club, made up of seventh grade girls. Many of the young people are active in Beginners Band and Cadet Band, Junior Choir, reading work, and tap dancing. The boys enjoy grade school basketball. They also do their part for the Junior Red Cross. During the year, each homeroom sponsors an all Junior High party that is held in the evening.

EIGHTH GRADE

Row 3: *Mike Sundt, Vaughn Wolford, Arnold Bloyer, Sam Frankland, Duane Senogles, Bill Olson, Deral Cole, Roy Johnson, Ronald Jerdee, James Myers, Robert Sesolak, Robert Jones, Deral Lund.* Row 2: *Robert Dvorak, Charlene Crane, Janice Hunt, Sharon Russel, Mary Faulkner, Jane Gempler, Charles Vos, Judy Bean, Mellissa Stillwell, Sue Ellen Robertson, Eleanor Miendle, Irma Riesenauer, Charles Taft.* Row 1: *Larry Wesoloski, Robert Keene, Sharon Woods, Beverly Scott, Connie Schmalz, Grace Roller, Jim Phillips, Eric Sorenson, Charles Wersal, Gerold Williams, Leslye Hess, Jean Ultieg, Marlene Hart, Douglas Otto, Robert Storkel.*

Row 3:*Richard Redman, Richard Dawson, James Crowthers, Leonard Fox, Dallys Olson, Connie Kilde, Rae Ellen Berg, David Pedersen, William Feltham, Tom Carlson, Kermit Guoothius.* Row 2: *Jerry Wentz, Toni Taylor, Patty Gilner, Karen Kelk, Linda Berry, Deanna Detlie, Shirley Kuehl, Donna Beaudsley, Betty Olson, Sonya Jerdee, Karen Steffen, Phyllis Allingham, Wayne Miller.* Row 1: *Patty Lynn, Carol Peterson, Judy Snippen, Carol Lund, Patty Snyder, Jimmy Lawrence, Donald Allen, Russell Hemsey, Shirley Jensen, Sharon Vandervort, Mary Ann Miller, Velva Woods, Sharon Milboath.*

SEVENTH GRADE

September October November

SEPTEMBER — As we tucked away the pleasant memories of summer our thoughts turned to the higher things in life: Physics problems, U. S. History, Extra credit for Miss Schuelke, Typing 60 words a minute, and English term papers. Those first few days of school were spent in renewing old friendships, and analyzing the newcomers. The cheerleaders started the social year off by sponsoring the first all school party. The football season bowed to an all time low as the Tomah Indians and the busloads of enthusiastic students traveled to Ripon, only to be defeated. To add to our disappointment, Tomah again met its downfall as the Logan Rangers upset us, with a score of 19 to 0. The football team met its third and last defeat at the hands of a strong Madison Edgewood team. The Hamot Staff Party climaxed this exciting evening.

OCTOBER — The Halloween month was packed with chills and thrills . . . Homecoming topping them all. The first big thrill was a visit from that shapely redhead, Arlene Dahl, who captured the spotlight at T.H.S. Then came unforgettable Homecoming with the bonfire (which was pre-ignited) and the mass meeting on the night before. The Homecoming parade won the Freshmen's skunk top honors, with the Seniors' Popeye and Sophomores' Horn of Plenty taking second and third. Queen Marilyn Koch was crowned between halves and the band formed a heart for our sweetheart. The football team did Homecoming up right by defeating Chippewa Falls 32 to 25. Our boys won another victory at Mauston by outplaying the Blue Golds on a cold, damp October evening. The game at Viroqua was another thriller which added to our string of victories.

NOVEMBER — We were all thankful — thankful that the Sparta game was called off so we wouldn't freeze our tootsies in the sub-zero weather. The game was rescheduled for the next week and after plowing snow off the gridiron, our Tomah Indians snowed under their rivals in the only afternoon game of the season. Then came those long awaited report cards, bringing with them everything from A to X. Miss Reiser uncovered all the hidden talent of her brood in the annual Sophomore Day Program. Miss Dunne's inspirational Thanksgiving program put us in a thankful frame of mind as we looked forward to those tempting holiday feasts. Vacation days flew by — back we came, exchanging a toothpick for a pencil. Basketball season was well under way when a rested and inspired team returned to scalp La Crosse Central. The Nekoosa game saw our cheerleaders decked out in their new chic uniforms. Did you like them? Tomah won its first honors of the year when the one-act players received an A rating at the district contest for their "Fifteenth Candle."

December January February

DECEMBER — Silent Night??? I should say not! New members were initiated into the F.B.L.A., followed by a rollicking square dance. Our Christmas spirit was somewhat dampened as our basketball five met their first defeat at the hands of a strong Logan team. Freshman Day came when the younger members of our big happy family showed mamas and papas that they were no longer "greenhorns." All the ko-ka-ke-ku-kas coming from Room 204 were not in vain, which was proven by the splendid Yuletide Concert of the Choir and Glee Club. The theme of the concert turned out to be "Singing in the Dark," because of the incorrect timing of the lighting technician. The last day of school in '51 was one of merriment as the brass sextette and choir caroled in the halls and the dramatics club gave the audience, "Just What They Wanted." The twenty loyal basketball fans who braved the cold December weather and traveled to Madison Edgewood that Friday night witnessed a good fast game which ended in defeat for our boys. The Senior Class spent two days shaping a snowball into the theme, "Frosty the Snowman." Adding to the beauty of the ball were our seven snow princesses and queen, Janice Erickson, who reigned for the evening with her escort, Dick Dana.

JANUARY — Score-score-score. The boys with their basketball, the girls with their volleyball, filled the month of January with athletics. Four fine basketball teams, Eau Claire Regis, Dodgeville, West Milwaukee, and Tomah competed in a two night double header. After stepping over West Milwaukee and Dodgeville, the Tomah quintet fought a hard and close game with Eau Claire Regis, only to be defeated by a score of 60-54. T.H.S.'s cheerleaders enjoyed entertaining Dodgeville's peppy cheerleaders. The fairer sex also exhibited some fine sport in volleyball. They had a gay time volleying for top honors in the tournament. The smooth working Tomah Indians and five Sparta basket makers played a hard game in which Tomah ended up on top. Tomah scored a thrilling triumph over a surprisingly stubborn Viroqua Blackhawk team. It was the third win without a loss for the Indians in the West Central Conference. Again the Indians got off to a flying start and whipped the Bluegolds of Mauston in a lopsided conference game.

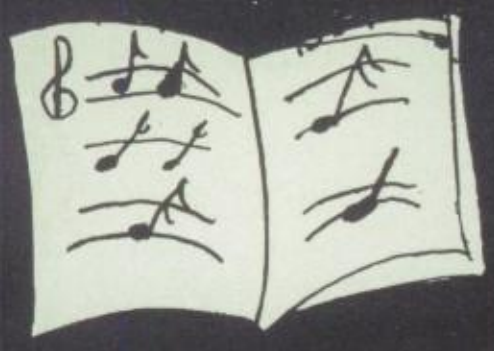
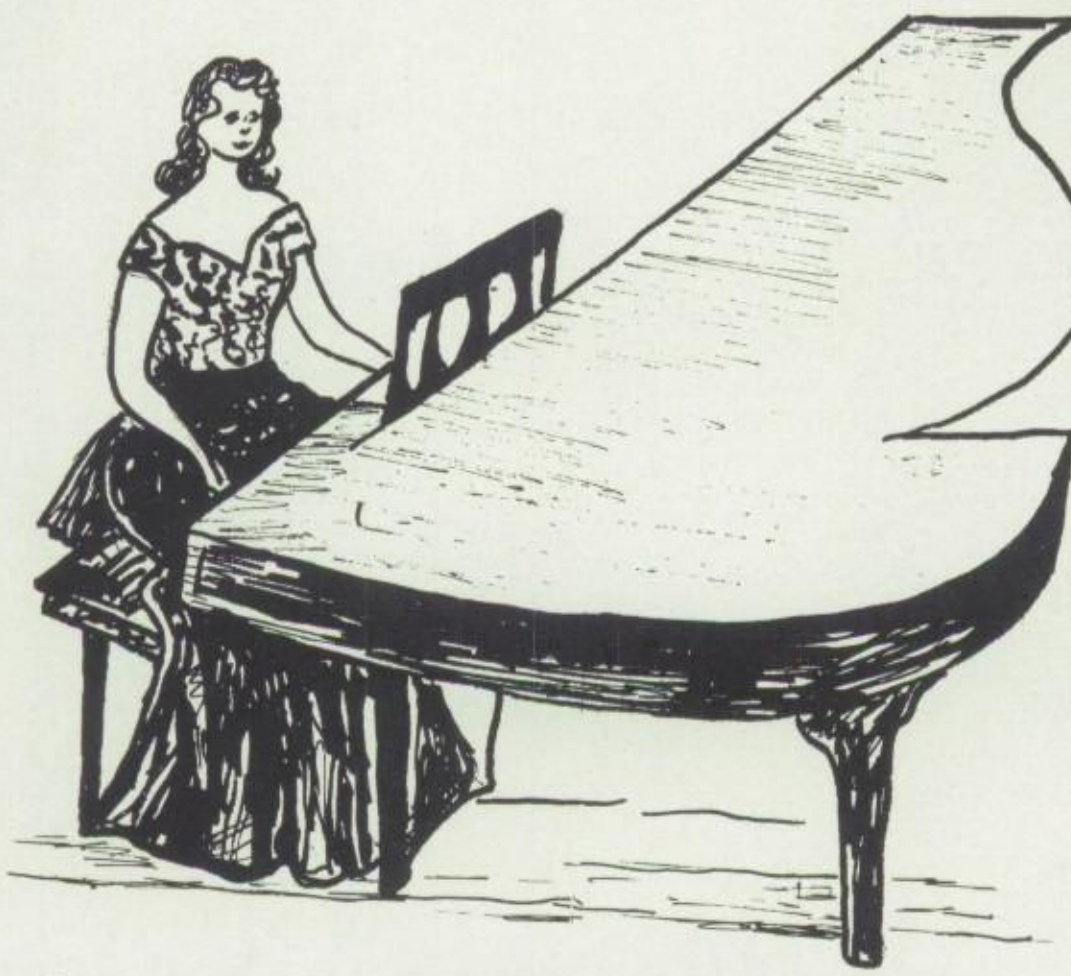
FEBRUARY — All the girls were in their best behavior as the month of hearts and candy rolled along. Our hearts were also lighted as Tomah defeated Logan by 10 points to make up for the other heart breaks. Then the day came for the Sparta-Tomah game which everyone had looked forward due to the age old rivalry. Again Tomah was victorious. Despite all the wind and snow the students braved the storm and brought their broken toy as admission to enjoy another fun making night of square dancing. Grease paint and powder were in evidence as Miss Green, her Dramatics Club, and Thespian Group, presented the "Harlequinade." The plays were a mystery-comedy "Murder They Say"; a serious play, "No Greater Love"; and a comedy, "Confidentially." The next day was a busy one for all of us for we had a Washington's Day Program, a mass meeting for the debaters and a mass meeting for the Viroqua game. Of course we did win the game that night. Fun and merry making was had by all who attended the evening meeting of the G.A.A. All who attended the annual winter concert of the band truly enjoyed themselves. Yes, February was surely packed with wonderful memories.

1951

March April May

MARCH — During the whirlwind month of March the academics played second fiddle to extra curricular activities as T.H.S. musicians whipped solos and ensembles into shape, basketball players rested up for the big tournaments, and orators got in a few extra practice speeches. The boxing ring became a familiar sight and the popular sport of "fisticuffs" began taking its toll of black eyes. Those boys who succeeded in holding their own against battling opponents were rewarded with silver and golden gloves. Congratulations became the order of the day after that brief Senior Class meeting in which Mr. McKean announced the top scholastic ten. The Tomah-Sparta rivalry was highlighted when our G.A.A. athletes and visiting Spartans took to the court in an evening of hard playing ball. The Regional tournament began. After climbing over Central and Black River, our team advanced to the third rung of that ladder which eventually led up to the "coach's dream." Logan was not merely another rung on our ladder — we had a score to settle with the Rangers, and on that memorable night in an over-flowing Sparta gym our Tomah Indians tucked a long awaited scalp under their belts. Two more rungs to go . . . our spirited team ran over Dodgeville and Bangor and hoisted themselves to the top of the ladder. Our coach's dream had come true — we were going to State. With regret for those who were left at home, players, fans, and loyal team backers made the trip to Madison. Spectators in that mammoth University field house were made to sit up and take notice as our boys smeared a favored Wauwatosa team. The semi-finals brought disappointment, for we watched our Tomah Indians go down to Stevens Point in a battling overtime. But win or lose, we were from Tomah and couldn't have been prouder of our team. Back home the fire engines were rolled out, and with sirens blowing, a top notch team was given a top notch welcome, And so roaring March came to a close.

APRIL — April first — and no fooling — from the Kingdom of the Junior class, Sir Marvin had chosen one fair maiden to be his Cinderella. "Fight team fight" was the cry as our boxers went into the ring against a strong Stoughton team. After a week's rest they were at it again. This time Mauston was our guest in an evening of battling bouts. As soon as those last chunks of snow began to trickle away, Mr. Gatzke's boys were out on the track in their baggy sweat pants, getting in shape for that first meet at La Crosse. With the arrival of Easter came a short vacation when the halls of T.H.S. were silent, and our stately school took a well deserved rest. Then back for the last lap. Prom fever was in the air and almost overnight our gym had been transformed into a beautiful ballroom. The clock struck twelve, but Cinderella and her King remained to hear the last musical strains of their Junior Prom. The girls annual Phy Ed. demonstration brought April to a fitting close.

MAY — May brings flowers, spring, and music. Our annual vocal and band contests were held in La Crosse on May 3. Those who prevailed the storm of the March solo and ensemble contest by receiving a first plus went to the state contest on May 10. Sports also have their place in the month of May. Every spare moment free from the strains of the contest we find the band and choir members watching the annual Peacock Relays. The rest of this month we dedicate to the Seniors of 1952. With tears in our eyes and sadness in our hearts we solemnly attended Baccalaureate. On Class Night we heard the class prophecy, the various awards given to those deserving students and presented the class gift to Mr. McKean. Slowly we filed into our last meeting as a group. Proudly we ap-proached the stage and found our places behind the drawn curtains. Our hearts are filled with many memories, may the Hamot be, our memory book when we reminisce and "Remember When."



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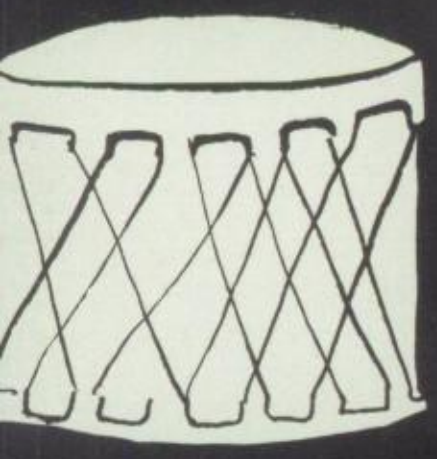
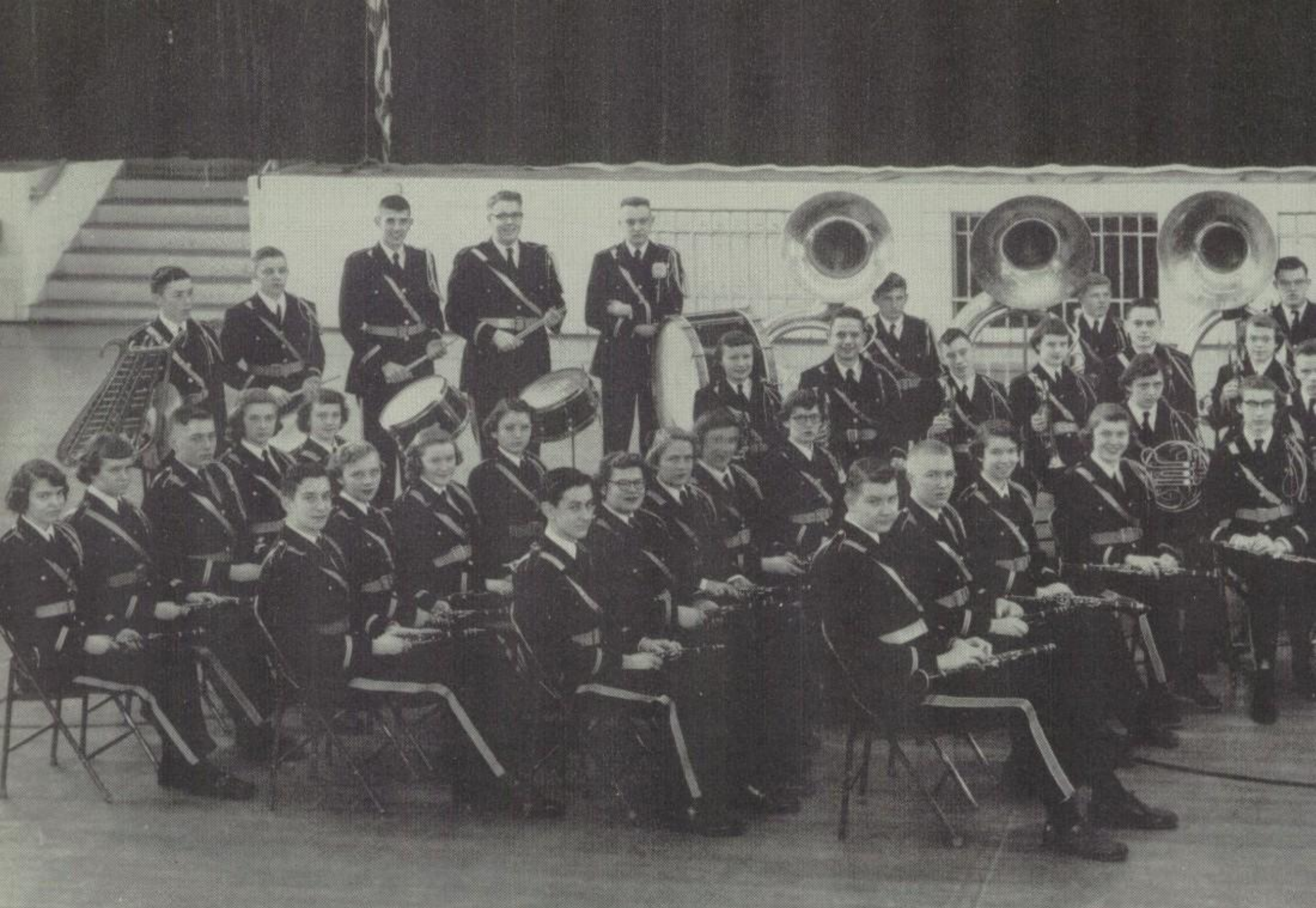




THE BAND

The Tomah Concert Band this year consists of 76 members. This group has had a busy year under the leadership of Mr. David H. Mewaldt who has been doing a splendid job. This band plays pep songs as well as entertaining us between the half-time shows at the football and basketball games. The band also presented two formal concerts. One concert was presented in February, and the following concert was presented as a combination with the choir. These concerts were enjoyed immensely by the surrounding communities. During April, separate solo and ensemble competitions were held at La Crosse, and many of the band members participated. During May, the band as a whole took part and competed with many other schools at La Crosse for scholastic places in sight-reading, concert and marching. Thus completing a very successful year in the instrumental department of Tomah High.

MEMBERS

CLARINETS
Paul Kress
David Klinge
Virginia Witt
Mary Lou Gasper
Lee Strozinsky
Joyce McFarlane
Harriet White
Donna Gray
Charlotte Ornes
Norman Anderson
Lois Kortbein
Carol Martin
Donna Clay
Marie Pingel
Ann Rose
Edwin Scott
Betty Reekie
Marcella Schaller
Nancy Henry

ALTO CLARINET
Joyce Kortbein

BASS CLARINET
Gordon Stelter
Barbara Carson

ALTO SAXAPHONE
Joan Dorner
Irene Holtze
John Wilkinson
YeVonne Selflow

TENOR SAXAPHONE
Loa Krause
Jacquie Wentz
Beverly Barry

BARITONE SAXAPHONE
LaVerna Streeter

OBOE
William Krueger, Jr.
Joan Zillmer

FLUTE
Doris Baumgarten
Douglas Salzwedel
Shirley Haase
Rae Ekern
Donna Fiebig

BASSQON
Beverly Ludeking
David Cline

CORNET
Janice Erickson
James Keller
John Heuerman
Maxine Gerke
William Clannahan
Margaret Cunningham
Marlene Benjamin
Arnold Rosenaw
Margaret Loftus
Dale Wagner

TROMBONE
Peter Jaffe
Marilyn Koch
Raymond Treat
Curtis Cooksey
Eldon Sonnenberg
Herman Bauman
Gretchen Monick
Ronald Sowle

BARITONE
Barbara Sowle
Elaine Richmond
John Kenny
Delores Ebert

FRENCH HORN
Tom Pederson
Marlene Burnstad
Russel Griffin
Nancy Cook

BASS
Harold Honish
James Wagner
Norris Rawhouser
James Fiedler
Lyle Anderson

PERCUSSION
James Blackwood
Gary Koch
David Krueger
Calvin Tralmer

TIMPANI
Rae Ellen Mistele

DIRECTOR
David H. Mewaldt

CADET BAND

DRUMS: *Esther Schild, Gloria Russell, Irma Ann Reisenauer, Douglas Otto.* CLARINETS: *Dorothy Rapp, Jane Gempler, Carol Handy, Maxine Graewin, Sandra Zellmer, Darlene Martin, Mary Kneeland, Lonota Graewin, Shirley Johnson, Barbara Dame, Norma Jean Anderson, Bertha Ostertag, Delphis Erbs, Shyla Fischer, Carol Stoltz, Gerry Honel, Sharlene Ott.* CORNETS: *Robert Holter, Michael Sund, Beverly Redman, Mary Klinge, Connie Schmaltz, John Dahlke, LaMont Zellmer, Charlene Crane, Janice Hunt, Beverly Scott, Ruth Rogge, Bessie Rose, Wayne Miller.* FRENCH HORN: *Charles Vos, John Honish, Melissa Stillwell, Judy Soderstrom.* SAXAPHONE: *Joanne Pongratz, Jean Stelter, Jean Ulteig, Mary Miller, Alice Bernhardt, Dale Pierce.* TROMBONE: *Carol Kortbein, Arnold Bloyer, Judy Bean, Junior Lawrence, Robert Dvorak, Stuart Crane.* FLUTES: *Mary Neitzel, Connie Hart, Sharron Ott. DIRECTOR: Mr. Mewaldt.*

BEGINNERS AND CADET BANDS

Two hard working units are the cadet and beginners bands. The students who have just started playing instruments this year, are trained in the beginners band. When they have had the required preparation, they pass into the cadet band. This organization prepares them for promotion to the High School Band.

DRUMS: *Connie Kilde, William Felt.* BASSES: *Robert Allen, Larry Wesloski.* CLARINETS: *Bertha Bigelow, Darlene Johnson, Karen Stephen, Patty Shattuck, Darlene West.* CORNETS: *Rudolph Pernot,* Hillary Schaller, Duane Martin, Phyllis Allingham, Rae Ellen Berg, *Jerry Wenz, David Pedersen.* BARITONE: *Richard Baumgarten.* TROMBONES: *Ronald Wagner, Kermit Groothuis, Norman White.* OBOES: *Grace Roller, Linda Barry.* FLUTES: *Patty Gilner, Beverly Hayward, Chester Moore.* DIRECTOR: *Mr. Mewaldt.*

BEGINNERS BAND

TAP DANCERS

Row 3: *Beverly Redman, Valice Tryggestad, Marlene Mallory, Phoebe Olsen, Barbara Sowle, Rae Ellen Mistele, Richard McDonald, Donald Kelly, Constance Kilde, Claudine Vandervort, Vernetta Heser, Marjorie Waugh, Jeanette Kamerath, Ruth Hancock, Mrs. Nachtigal.* Row 2: *Verla Tryggestad, Joyce Hubert, Ruth Ann Rogge, Carol Bailey, Betty Nauman, Marjorie Vandervort, Janice Grimshaw, Donna Parker, Ruth Prochnow, Delpha Murdock, Helen Johnson, Carol Kortbein, Norma Jorgenson.* Row 1: *Jerry Wentz, Charles Wersal, Sonja Jerdee, Garnet Griffin, Toni Taylor, Marlene Hart, Dallys Olsen, Maxine Graewin, Delores Parker, Agnes Selz, Mary Ann Miller, Betty Prescott, Kermit Groothius, Robert Allen.*

TAPDANCERS — The tapdancers consist of 40 members this year. They performed at many of the half-time shows at the basketball games, and numerous other public appearances. The members are ages from Junior High to Seniors in High School.

GERMAN BAND — The German Band makes many public appearances, entertaining with their jokes and jolly tunes.

TWIRLERS — From the summer classes of twirlers, three have been selected to perform with the High School Band. They add much color to our marching unit.

ter Jaffe, Jack Heuerman, Harold Honish, David Klinge, e Strowzinsky.

GERMAN BAND

Marilyn Koch, Helen Joy Westphal, Carol Westphal, Mary Jean Roh.

TWIRLERS

CHOIR

Row 4: *Gordon Stelter, Tom Pederson, Curt Cooksey, Gary Koch, James Blackwood, Victor Burnstad, James Keller, Wayne Stoltz, Norman Anderson, David Cline, James Wagner, William Krueger, Jim Wagner, John Kortbein.* Row 3: *Ted Dashner, John Wilkinson, Richard Shutter, David Krueger, La Vonne Gwenikow, Jane Schuerich, Patra Holter, Marilyn Koch, Shirley Stafslien, Patricia Kelly, JoAnn Schultz, Esther Schield, Weston Hart, Glenda Oakes.* Row 2: *Miss Dunne, Judy Jerdee, Madge Kochinski, Barbara Dame, Bettie Hall, Barbara Carson, Carol Griggs, Diane Dickinson, Stephany Cremer, Loa Krause, Lavonne Wolford, Doris Baumgarten, Marlene Damerow, Renee Prine, Beverly Oden, Janice Erickson.* Row 1: *Joanne Pongratz, Hazel Bruder, Delores Westfall, Jean Wegner, Beverly Tompkins, Rae Ellen, Mistiele, Mary Ann Selky, Marilyn McMullen, Mary Lou Gasper, Nancy Dickinson, Lois Kortbein, Joan Rice, Carleen Lenz.*

VOCAL GROUPS

CHOIR — One of Tomah High's outstanding extra-curricular activities are the vocal groups, under the direction of Miss Dunne. The choir consists of 54 boys and girls. They have participated in a Christmas concert, Spring Concert, and obtained high honors at the Music Festival held in La Crosse. Renee Prine does a fine job accompanying the choir.

GLEE CLUB — The Girl's Glee Club, consisting of 55 girls, is another outstanding vocal group. The Glee Club also took part in the Christmas and Spring Concerts, and made a fine showing at the La Crosse Music Contest. Rae Ellen Mistele must be commended for her fine accompanying.

THE TRIOS — The Girls Trios sing for many community as well as school organizations. They were participants in the Christmas and Spring Concerts. They, too, made their annual appearance at the La Crosse Music Festival Contest, and made a fine showing.

GLEE CLUB

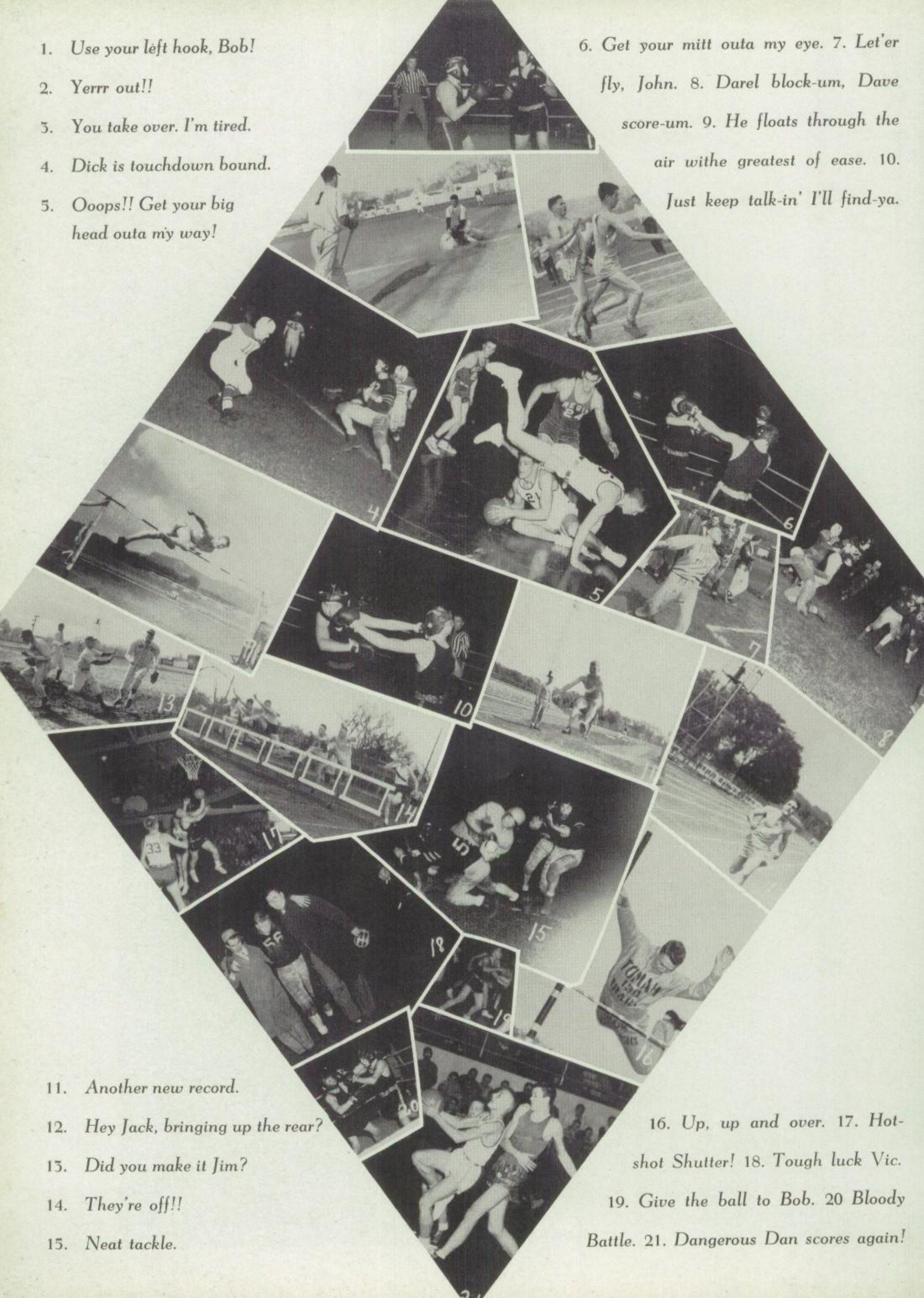
Row 5: *Elaine Richmond, Marlene Burnstad, LaVonne Gnewikow, Joanne Jensen, Claudine Vandervort, Shirley Stafslien, Jane Schuerich, Donna Kroeger, Beverly Ludeking, Loa Krause, Faith Schmalz, Marilyn Koch, Patra Holter, Edwina Krase.* Row 4: *Diane Dickinson, Madge Kochinski, Barbara Carson, Carol Griggs, Lorna Roscovious, Lea Griffin, Jean Hyland, Renee Prine, Geraldine Honel, Marlyn McMullen, Beverly Oden, Patricia Kelley, Jo Ann Schultz.* Row 3: *Sharron Fischer, Judy Klinge, Harriet White, Rae Ellen Mistele, Mary Monahan, Lorna Hart, Stephany Cremer, Darlene Libke, Marlene Damerow, Nancy Dickinson, Janice Erickson, Esther Schield, Irene Holtz.* Row 2: *Joanne Pongratz, Maxine Gerke, Donna Bernhardt, Barbara Dame, Judy Klinge, LaVonne Wolford, Martha Beltz, Bettie Hall, Patricia Stickler, Mary Lou Gasper, Nancy Calkins, Mary Ann Lord, Glenda Oakes.* Row 1: *Carleen Lenz, Jean Wegner, Hazel Bruder, Donna Kelley, Beverly Tompkins, Maxine Attwell, Virginia Witt, Lois Kortbein, Joan Rice, Deolores Westfall, Bernice Rowell, Mary Beardsley.*

THE TRIOS

Row 2: *Janice Erickson, Bettie Hall, Mary Lou Gasper, Miss Dunne, Marilyn Koch, Madge Kochinski, Barbara Dame, Beverly Oden, Lois Kortbein.* Row 1: *Beverly Tompkins, Marlene Damerow, Diane Dickinson, Glenda Oakes, Joan Rice, Jean Wegner.*

1. *Use your left hook, Bob!*
2. *Yerrr out!!*
3. *You take over. I'm tired.*
4. *Dick is touchdown bound.*
5. *Ooops!! Get your big head outa my way!*

6. *Get your mitt outa my eye.* 7. *Let'er fly, John.* 8. *Darel block-um, Dave score-um.* 9. *He floats through the air withe greatest of ease.* 10. *Just keep talk-in' I'll find-ya.*



11. *Another new record.*
12. *Hey Jack, bringing up the rear?*
13. *Did you make it Jim?*
14. *They're off!!*
15. *Neat tackle.*

16. *Up, up and over.* 17. *Hot-shot Shutter!* 18. *Tough luck Vic.* 19. *Give the ball to Bob.* 20 *Bloody Battle.* 21. *Dangerous Dan scores again!*

ATHLETICS

Row 4: Mr. Gatzke, Mr. Schettler, Louie Storkel, Dean Gray, Ruebon Johnson, John Neilsen, Elmor Markin, Jon Sorenson, James Heilman, Jerry Goff, Jack Cook, Ned Davis, Allen Schell, Roland Maum, John Rice, Norman White, Walter DeVoe, Loren Pierce, John Kenny, Joe Kirkwood, Marlyn Westphal, Freddy Pongratz, John Schultz, Leonard Kube, Leon Andres, Orwin Root. Row 3: Stanley Meyers, John Downes, Larry Grewin, Joe Kubie, Roger Protz, John Wilkinson, William Miller, Richard Ninneman, John Jensen, Dale Trowbridge, Richard Jerdee, Walter Fiedler, James Fiedler, Meredith Long, James Schappe, Harold Peth, Donald Jerdee, Maurice Schamens. Row 2: Loren Stoltz, Donald Russel, Norris Rawhauser, Wayne Stoltz, Jeff Warren, Robert Kirchoff, Alton Eirschele, Dick Eirschele, Jack Maas, Donald Bethauser, Paul Lyden, Edwin Scott, Gary Koch, Robert Hefner, Merlyn Vandervort, Dick Dana, Robert Rogge. Row 1: Everett Chambers, Jack Rattle, Darel Jackson, Craig Scott, Lloyd Oakes, Jim Churchill, Dean Dodsworth, Herbert Linder, Gerald Rudolph, Lon Roeske, Bob Hubert, Vic Burnstad, David Krueger, Dick Shutter, David Klinge, DeWard Shattuck, Marvin Sage.

FOOTBALL

The football team which represented Tomah High in 1951 had its fair share of fumbles and spectacular touchdown runs.

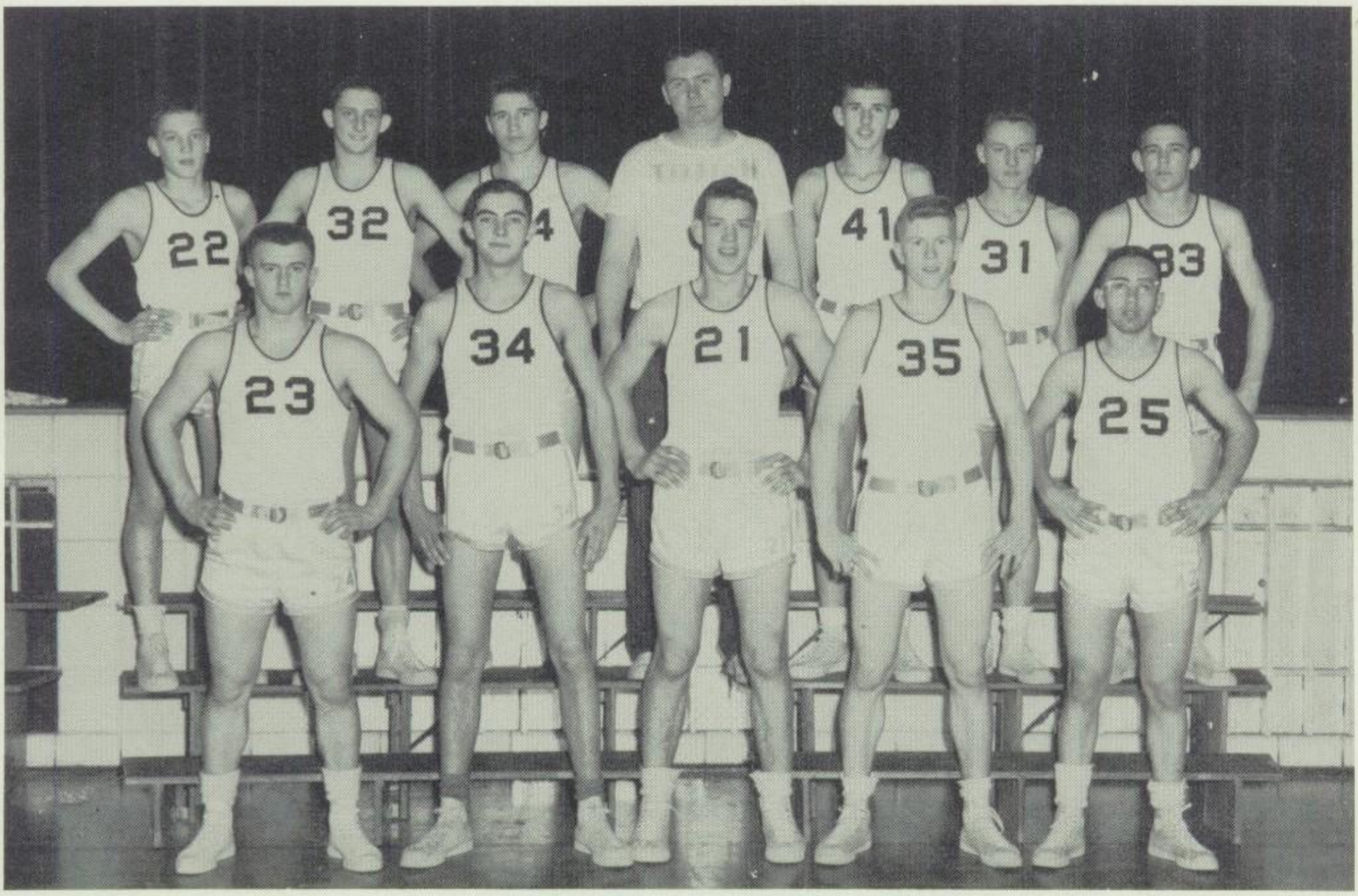
Tomah's team started practice on the 15th of August as eighty boys had high hopes of playing on the varsity and B squad representing Tomah in games. Then came three long, hard weeks of drills and scrimmages in order to mold these boys into a smooth working football machine.

After finding and correcting their mistakes in the first games, the Tomah team went on to make a good showing for itself throughout the rest of the season, especially the last five games.

There were many outstanding performances turned in on the field of play. Two of these were attributed to Vic Burnstad and Sophomore Dave Krueger in the Chippewa game. Two other boys, Dick Shutter and Bob Hubert were outstanding enough to receive acclaim from a Milwaukee newspaper. Shutter, high scorer for the season, received honorable mention on the All State team for his work at halfback. Jim Churchill was voted team captain at the end of the season.

SCORES

Tomah	6	Ripon	12
Tomah	0	Logan	19
Tomah	13	Edgewood	37
Tomah	19	Nekoosa	0
Tomah	32	Chippewa Falls	25
Tomah	12	Mauston	6
Tomah	27	Viroqua	12
Tomah	20	Sparta	0



Row 2: *Harold Peth, Curt Cooksey, Paul Lyden, Mr. Schettler, Gary Koch, David Krueger, Donald Gatzke.* Row 1: *Dick Shutter, Wayne Stoltz, Bob Hubert, Vic Burnstad, Bob Witz.*

BASKETBALL

The Tomah Indians climaxed a brilliant cage season by gaining recognition as the most well coached ball club to appear at the state meet at Madison this spring. A final count showed the Indians chalked up a record of 22 victories against 4 defeats. In piling up an offensive average of 58.9 points per game, they rolled in 1532 markers compared to their opponents 1279.

The Indians' high scoring offense set a record of 80 points against Westby. Top scorer on the team was Vic Burnstad who set the nets afire with 479 points or an average of 18.4 points per contest. Following Burnstad in scoring were Shutter with 275, Hubert with 248, Stoltz 164, Koch 158, Krueger 94, Cooksey 56, and Witz 44. Burnstad attained the top honor of being chosen on the all-state basketball team, and Hubert, Shutter, Koch and Burnstad were named outstanding players during the first night of competition. So ends a great season, a fine honor for the team, the city, and for Coach "Red" Schettler. Since only four are graduating, we are looking forward eagerly to another good season next year.

"A" Squad Scores

Tomah	52	32 .. Wisconsin Dells
Tomah	51	49 . La Crosse Central
Tomah	67	53 ..... Nekoosa
Tomah	41	46 .. La Crosse Logan
Tomah	60	42 ..... Westby
Tomah	52	66 ..... Edgewood
Tomah	68	45 .. West Milwaukee
Tomah	54	60 .. Eau Claire Regis
Tomah	60	42 ..... Sparta
Tomah	59	52 ..Black River Falls
Tomah	53	50 ..... Viroqua
Tomah	63	36 ..... Mauston
Tomah	50	44 .. Wisconsin Dells
Tomah	70	59 .. La Crosse Logan
Tomah	80	57 ..... Westby
Tomah	65	35 .. Black River Falls
Tomah	53	45 ..... Sparta
Tomah	55	39 ..... Viroqua
Tomah	47	43 ..... Mauston

REGIONAL

Tomah	61	54 .. LaCrosse Central
Tomah	63	59 .. Black River Falls
Tomah	72	63 ... LaCrosse Logan

SECTIONAL

Tomah	60	53 ..... Dodgeville
Tomah	72	57 ..... Bangor

STATE

Tomah	46	38 ..... Wauwatosa
Tomah	58	60 ..... Stevens Point

ONCE IN A

AT-A-BOY, GARY.

DICK IS LEFT IN ACTION.

INDIANS TOP TOSA

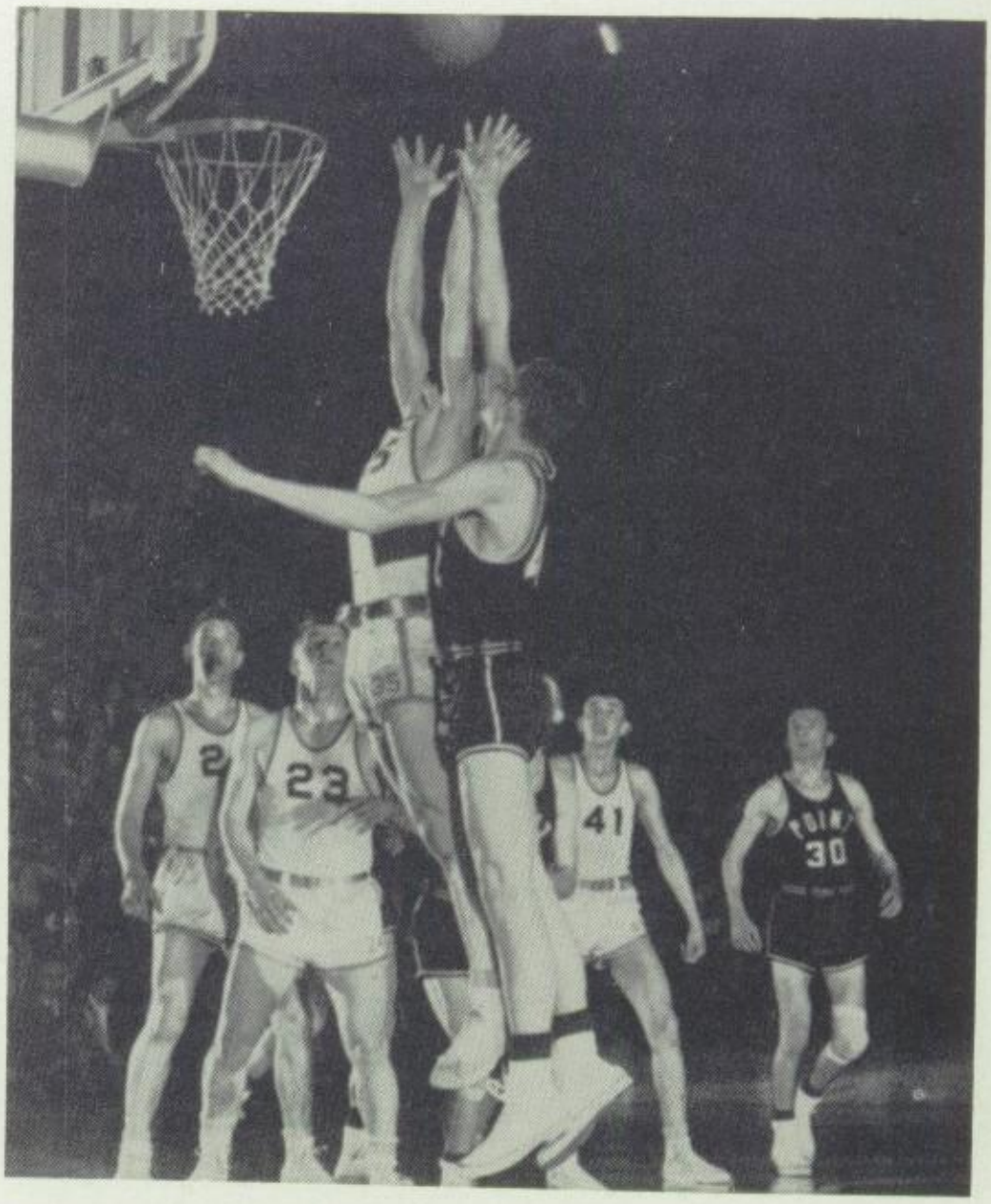
The Tomah High School Basketball team broke the long standing jinx of not winning a game at the state tournament by defeating a very fast Wauwatosa team in the quarter finals of the Madison meet. Tomah's superior height proved a big factor as they came off the bounding boards with 55 rebounds to 'Tosa's' 42. Leading in this department were Bob Hubert with 17, Gary Koch 16, and Vic Burnstad 13. The team play of the Indians both offensively and defensively appealed to many in the big field house. Wauwatosa led only twice during the entire contest; first — 2-0 on a jump shot by Perry and, 15-14 just before the end of the first quarter. Tomah scored to lead 16-15 at the end of the period. The Indians led 25-21 at the half, 46-38 at the final horn. Tomah's usual good shooting was missing as they capitalized on only 18 of the 65 attempts for a .277 percentage. Burnstad and Koch were leading scorers with 10 points apeice followed by Shutter with 9, Hubert with 7, Krueger with 5, Cooksey with 3, and Stoltz with 2.

TEAMTIME

STEVENS POINT BY A POINT

Tomah High School's fighting Indians went down before the powerful claws of the Stevens Point Panthers in the semi-finals of the state meet by a score of 60-58. A record breaking crowd of 13,956 paid admissions saw Tomah fight to stall-off the blistering attack of the Pointers in the final eight minutes as the Panthers overcame a thirteen point deficit to tie up the game at the end of regulation time. A determined Stevens Point team out scored Tomah in the overtime 6-4 to win the game and a place in the State championship finals. Tomah's cold shooting was a distinctive handicap as they again experienced one of the poorest shooting nights. They shot only .278.

The scoring was again very well distributed with Burnstad netting 17, Koch 15, Hubert 13, Shutter 6, Cooksey 4, and Krueger 3. The team play in this game coupled with the game the night before gained Tomah the "best coached team" honor at the State tournament.



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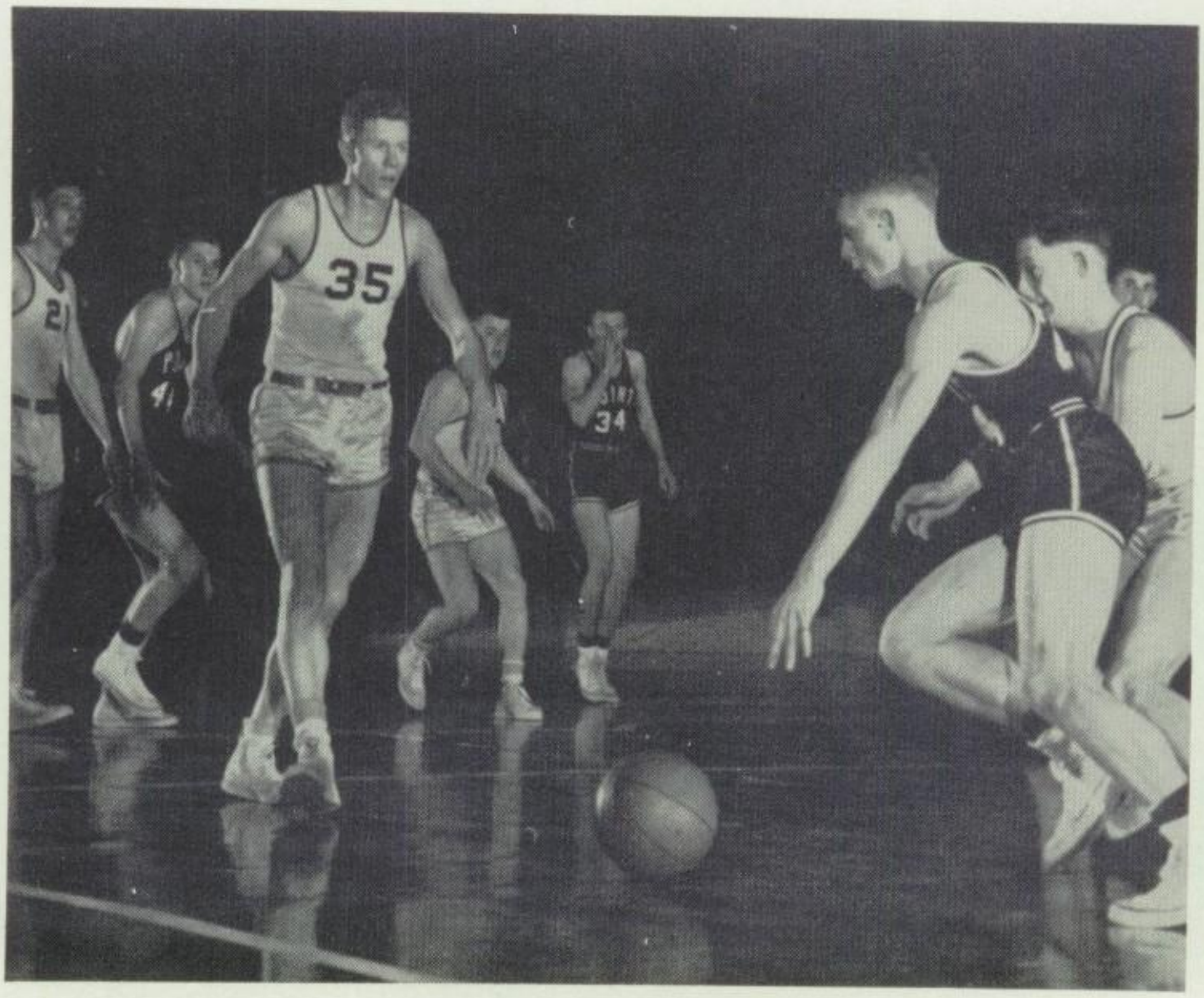


I'LL TAKE THAT ONE.

Row 3: *Dean Gray, Gerry Golf, Mr. Gatzke, John Nielson, Leon Andres.* Row 2: *Phil Tway, Allen Schall, William Clanahan, Meredith Longe, Ronald Vandervort, Merlyn Westpfahl.* Row 1: *Freddie Pongratz, Walter Fiedler, Leland Betthauser, John Jensen, Loren Stoltz, Harold Peth, Bruce Otto.*

B SQUAD

B SQUAD SCORES

Tomah 33.... Wisconsin Dells 44
Tomah 26.. La Crosse Central 38
Tomah 33..... Nekoosa 25
Tomah 22... La Crosse Logan 40
Tomah 35..... Westby 30
Tomah 41..... Sparta 39
Tomah 14... Black River Falls 37
Tomah 38..... Viroqua 42
Tomah 42..... Mauston 21
Tomah 39.... Wisconsin Dells 45
Tomah 28... La Crosse Logan 46
Tomah 49..... Westby 29
Tomah 26... Black River Falls 44
Tomah 34..... Sparta 29
Tomah 33..... Viroqua 32
Tomah 46..... Mauston 33

MANAGERS: *Stuart Crane; John Schultz; Maurice Schamens.*

BOXING

As boxing rolled around this year 70 boys, including eight lettermen showed up with plenty of vim, vigor and vitality. The new boys received first attention as our boxing coach, Mr. Dickinson, began getting them ready for the Silver Glove fights. It is not possible for these boys to become polished boxers in this short time but if they learn the fundamentals they will develop into fine boxers. The Golden Gloves finals were staged on the 17 of March where all the boys made excellent showings. Rollie Von Haden was selected as "Fightingest Fighter" of these tournaments.

The boys met stiff competition as they met Richland Center, Stoughton, Mauston and Viroqua. There are 5 seniors on this year's team; Everett Chambers, Bob Hubert, James Churchill, Darel Jackson and Jack Rattle. These boys have exhibited fine boxing and will be missed when they graduate.

Row 4: *Raymond Treat, John Downs, Larry Gruen, Bill Dorn, Keith Ferries, Norman White, Donald Bernhardt, Ronald Clay, Eugene Moseley, Valden Evans, Richard Prescott, David Reed, Walter DeFoe, Roland Maum, Norel Quist.* Row 3: *Joe Kube, Donald Jerdee, Donald Russell, Marvin Sage, Jack Tom, Dale Dye, Jerry Rudolph, Martin Thompson, Leonard Kube, Keith Braund, Herman Mauman, Lester McGinnis, Jim Potter, Joe Pearson, Henry Felber, Mr. Dickinson.* Row 2: *Leon Andres, Joe Kirkwood, Merlyn Vandervort, Lon Roeske, James Churchill, Robert Hubert, Everett Chambers, Darel Jackson, Jack Rattle, Dick Eirschele, David Holum, Roland Von Haden.* Row 1: *Gene Tway, Victor Evans, Billy Attewell, Keith Tucker, Jack Heurman, Loren Pierce, Walter Ludeking, Dale Wagner, John Sorenson, Sylvester Heilman, Phillip Deere.*

Row 4: *Roland Von Haden, Dale Dye, Donald Gatzke, Dale Trowbridge, Roy Mace, Richard Sorenson, Francis Roberts, Dwayne Adrian, David Reed, Bascom Doak, Edwin Scott, Marvin Zellmer, Henry Felber.* Row 3: *Mr. Gatzke, Loren Stoltz, Donald Bernhardt, Roland Sowle, Jim Schappe, Richard Jerdee, Tom Pederson, Raymond Treat, Donald Betthauser, Jeffrey Warren, Ronald Clay, Korwin Quist, Eugene Churchill, Joseph Kube, Merlyn Westphal, John Kortbein, Stuart Crane.* Row 2: *William Viney, Wayne Guthrie, Edgar Allingham, Halbert Beltz, Wayne Stoltz, Ward Rawhauser, Eith Tucker, John Schultz, DeWard Shattuck, Gene Peterson, Harold Meyer, Cornelius Schleicher, Dick Eirchele, Marvin Sage, Bruce Potter.* Row 1: *Harvard Wagner, Herbert Linder, Morton Erickson, Lon Roeske, Robert Hefner, Vic Burnstad, Art Sowle, Richard Mosely, Gerald Rudolph, Lloyd Oakes, Jack Rattle, Darel Jackson, David Cline, Eldon Skogen, Fred Selky, Norris Rawhauser.*

TRACK

The Tomah track team got off to a rather poor start, but under the excellent coaching of Mr. Gatzke they developed into a fine team and took first place in the West Central Conference meet.

Two records were broken at that meet, the broadjump by Burnstad and the pole vault by Jackson. They took tenth place in the Peacock Relays and fourth in the sectional meet. Three members of the team went to the state meet at Madison and of the three Jackson, Sowle and Burnstad, Burnstad placed. Art Sowle was elected captain by the team. Lettermen were:

LETTERMEN

Arthur Sowle ..... Pole vault, High jump, Discuss

*Victor Burnstad ..... High jump, broad jump, shot put

*Darel Jackson ..... Pole vault

*Jerry Rudolph ..... Mile

Robert Hefner ..... High hurdles, Low hurdles

*John Rattle ..... Pole vault, 440

Harvard Wagner 880

*Lon Roeske ..... Relay, 440

*Craig Scott ..... High hurdles, Low hurdles

Fred Selkey 440

Eldon Skogen ..... Relay 100

*David Cline 880

Morton Erickson ..... Mile

*Herbert Linder ..... Relay, 100, 220

Richard Moseley .. Relay, broad jump 220

*Ward Rawhauser 880

*Returning Lettermen

BASEBALL

The Tomah High School team of 1951 had a very successful season. The team won nine games and lost three. In tournament play it won the Mauston and Hillsboro tournament. Tomah advanced within one run of the state baseball tournament, losing to LaFarge 4-3 in the sectional playoffs. We played three games under the lights. This team constituted one of the greatest all 'round baseball teams that Tomah has ever had. It boasted explosive hitting with good pitching and fielding with depth in every position.

Coach Schettler expects to have another good team in 1952 with six of the fourteen lettermen from 1951 returning.

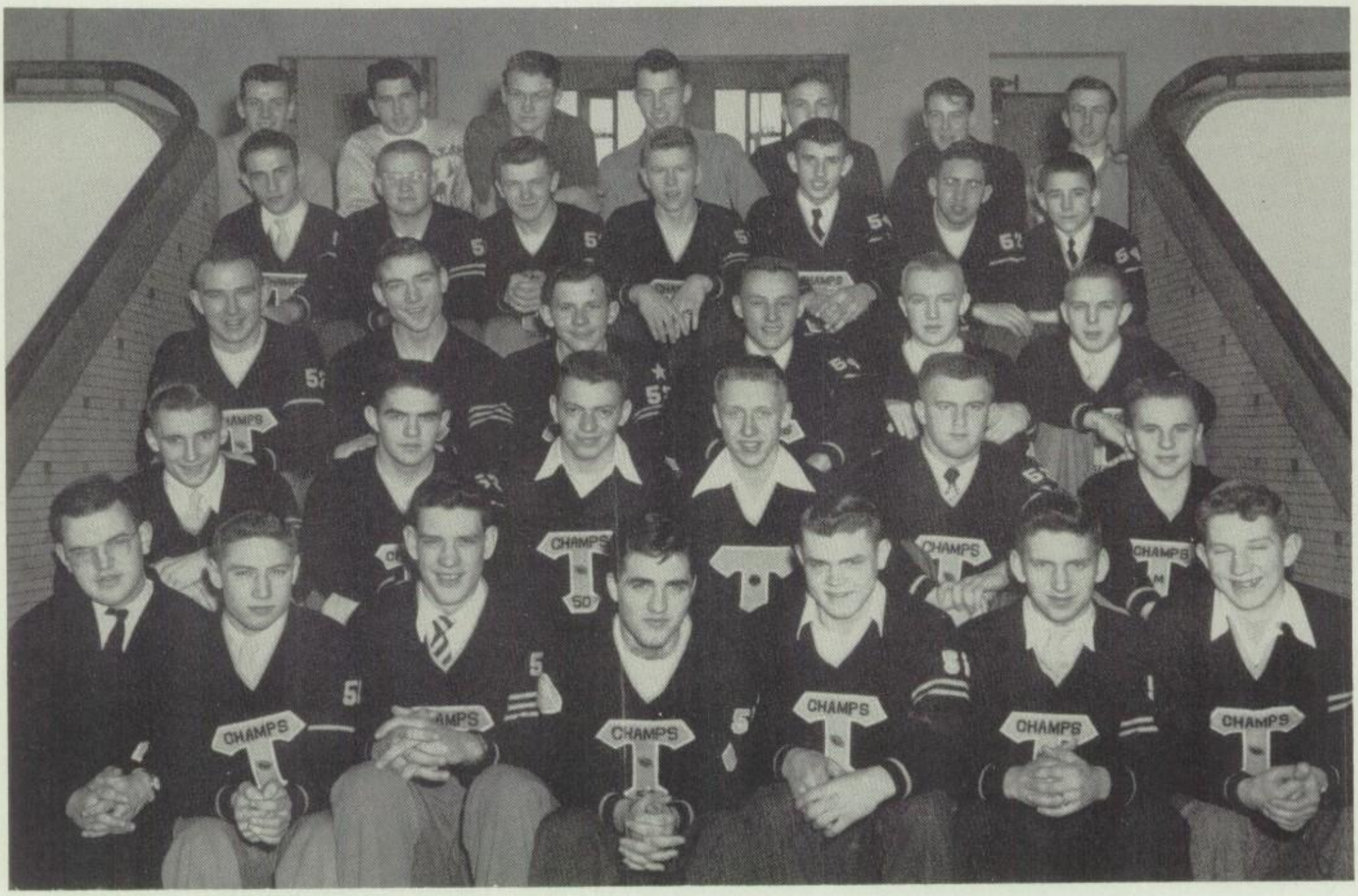
SEASON RECORD

Tomah 14	Black River Falls	6
Tomah 7	Viroqua	6
Tomah 6	Westby	1
Tomah 15	Elroy	4
Tomah 4	La Crosse Logan	7
Tomah 12	Mauston	1
Tomah 2	Sparta	6

TOURNAMENT

Tomah 16	Camp Douglas	0
Tomah 12	Mauston	0
Tomah 10	Hillsboro	2
Tomah 16	Onalaska	5
Tomah 3	LaFarge	4

Row 1: *Schamens (Mgr.) Kirchoff (C) Krueger (P) Kemp (C) Koch (3B) Schettler, Hubert (P) Sonnenberg (OF) Klinge (OF) Rands (Mgr.)* Row 2: *Muehlenhamp (P) Eirschele (OF) Hess (C) Schultz (OF) Stein (2B).* Row 3: *Lenz (3B) Chambers (C) White (LF) Shutter (RF) Zellmer (CF) Peth (2B) Mullowney (3B) Bursinger (1B) Arity (P).*



Row 5: Marvin Sage-Football; Lon Roeske-Boxing, Track, Football; Lloyd Oakes-Football; Craig Scott-Football, Track; Dean Dodsworth-Football; Daniel Stein-Baseball; Ronald Von Haden-Boxing; Row 4: *Gerald Rudolph-Football, Track; Robert Hefner-Football, Track; David Muelenkamp-Baseball; Victor Burnstad-Football, Basketball, Track; Gary Koch-Football, Basketball; Robert Witz-Baseball, Basketball; Stuart Crane-Manager;* Row 3: *DeWard Shattuck-Football; Everett Chambers-Football, Boxing, Baseball; James Churchill-Football; David Krueger-Football, Basketball; David Klinge-Football, Baseball; Merlyn Vandervort-Football, Boxing;* Row 2: *Herbert Linder-Football, Track, Boxing; Richard Dana-Football; John Schultz-Football; James Lenz-Baseball; Richard Shutter-Football, Basketball, Baseball; Morris Schamens-Manager;* Row 1: *Norris Rawhauser-Football; Richard Eirschele-Football; Robert Hubert-Football, Basketball, Boxing; John Rattle-Football, Track, Boxing; Darel Jackson-Football, Track, Boxing; Alton Eirschele-Football Baseball; David Cline-Track, Football.*

Letterman's Club

The Letterman's Club is an active organization composed of boys who have earned their letters in various fields of athletics. This year as in the past, the club has assumed numerous responsibilities such as conducting the sale of refreshments at basketball games, sponsoring annual athletic banquets, showing movies of each University of Wisconsin football game this fall, and paying nearly five hundred dollars in medical bills uncovered by insurance. Members have many privileges offered to them: each squad was taken to see a major sport event with expenses paid, each eligible member was allowed to buy the official letterman's sweater adopted last year, and each graduating senior was given a beautiful T lapel pin. Future plans for this organization include a spring social activity.

Row 4: *Glendenna Brennan, Delores Prochnow, Patricia Westpfahl, Barbara Sowle, Joan Vos, Ruth Ann Hilger, Betty Prochnow, Patricia Hemsey, Donna Kroeger, Jean Hyland, Diane Dickinson.* Row 3: *Sharron Fischer, Madge Kochinski, Betty Schultz, Alaire Hess, Nancy Dickinson, Janice Erickson, Mary Lou Gasper, Marlene Damerow, Ruth Andres, Joanne Jensen.* Row 2: *Beverly Maly, Shirley Linder, Margaret Schendel, Helen Joy Westpfahl, Dorothy Mistele, Shirley McCaskey, Marie Pingle, Marlyn McMullen, Wanda Wolford, Charlotte Jerdee, Judy Klinge.* Row 1: *Grace Linenberg, Phyllis Batten, Edwina Krase, Doris Baumgarten, Joan Stoddard, La Vonne Wolford, Lois Kortbein, Rita Niebuhr, Barbara, Carson, Beverly Tompkins, Donna Warnke.*

G. A. A.

Row 4: *Inez Foth, Betty Bruder, Irene Holtz, Mary Ann Lord, Joan Rice, Lois Jackson, Cecelia Hubert, Buela Stickler, Dorothy Rezin, Betty Case, Pauline Bailey.* Row 3: *Jean Storkel, Roanne Pleier, Glenda Oakes, Ann Rose, Lea Beagle, Patricia Downes, Nancy Henry, Patra Holter, Betty Reeke, Shirley Johnson, Joyce Jorgenson, Lillian Fuchs.* Row 2: *Jeanette Kamrath, Judy Soderstrom, Barbara Dame, Ruth Rogge, Betty Fischer, Geraldine Honel, Shirley McCollough, Joan Zillmer, Jean McCollough, Darlene Libke, Esther Schield.* Row 1: *Gretchen Monick, Marlene Burnstad, Delores Foth, Sharon Ott, Dorothy Rapp, Marlene Benjamin, Joyce Kortbein, Ruth Prochnow, Margaret Cunningham, Joanne Pongratz, Carleen Lenz.*

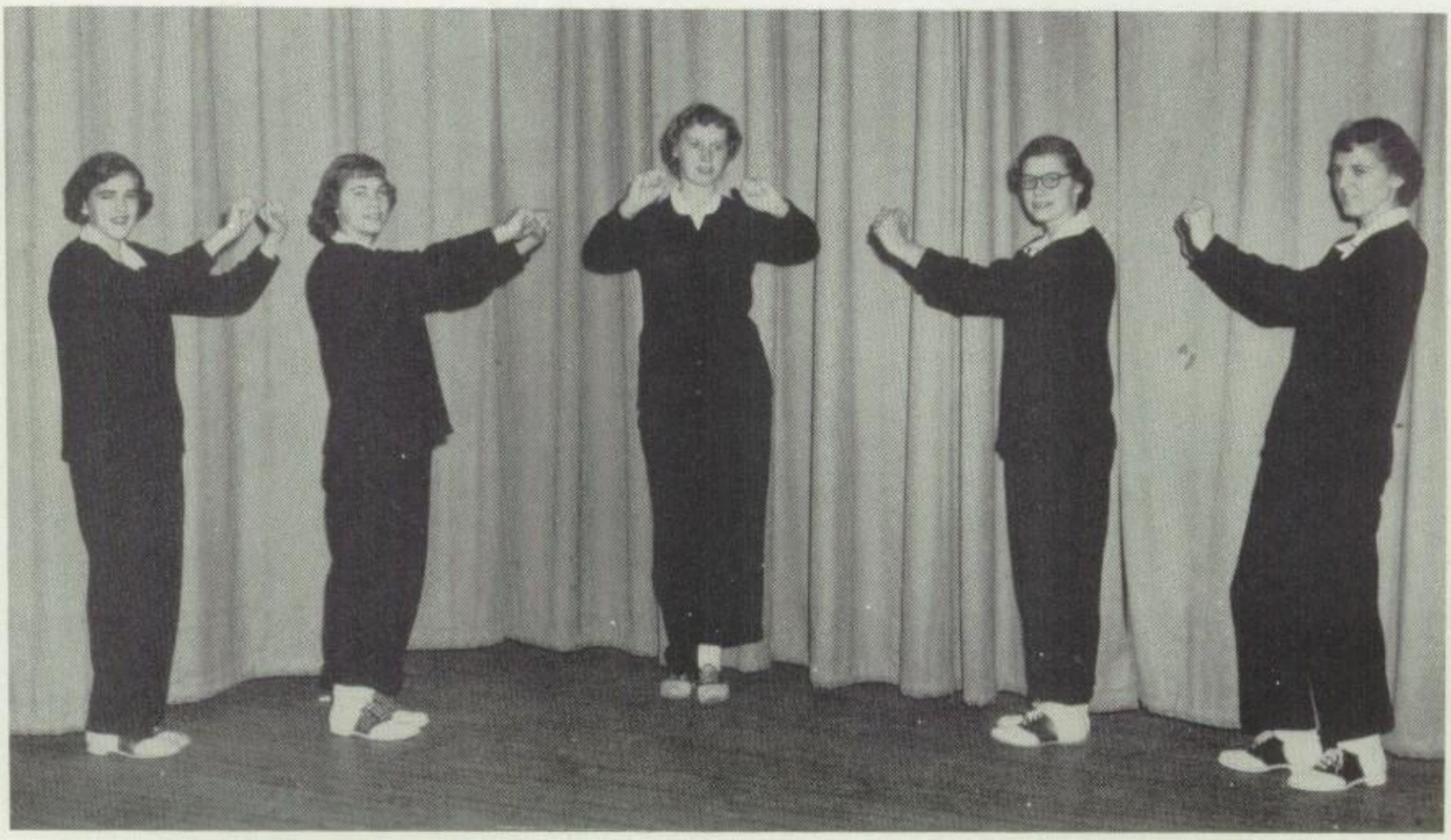
A SQUAD

Shyla Fischer, Lavonne Wolford, John Love, Jean Hyland, Janice Erickson.

Cheerleaders

B SQUAD

Esther Schild, Barbara Dame, Marlene Burnstad, Wanda Wolford, Glendenna Brennan.



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Gordon Stelter, Beverly Ludeking,
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Row 4: *Norman Anderson, Craig Scott, Gordon Stelter, Jeff Warren, Victor Burnstad, Robert Hubert, Peter Jaffe, Richard Sorenson, Richard Shutter, John Helming.* Row 3: *Morris Schamens, William Krueger, Donna Clay, Marlene Damerow, Loa Krause, Bob Witz, La Vonne Gnewikow, Jane Schuerich, Patra, Holter, Lee Strowzinsky, Jack Huerman.* Row 2: *Doris Faulkner, Carol Lenschow, Beverly Oden, Joyce Kortbein, Edwina Krase, Beverly Ludeking, Stephany Cremer, Jean Hyland, La Vonne Wolford, Virginia Witt, Joyce McFarlane, Doris Baumgarten.* Row 1: *Janice Erickson, Nancy Dickinson, Patricia Kelley, Sharron Fischer, Diane Dickinson, Irene Holtz, Beverly Tompkins, Lorraine Zimmerman, Lois Kortbein, Margaret Cunningham, Delores Westfall.*

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DEBATE

A spirited group of boys and girls made up the 1951-1952 Debate Team; debating on the issue of "conscription." Members of the varsity were, affirmative: Beverly Maly, David Cline, and Douglas Detlie; Negative: Ricky Ninneman, Jeff Warren, and Patsy Hemsey. The B team consisted of Lillian Fuchs, Amelia Hoffman, Joyce Kortbein, and Howard Prell. January 12th the team journeyed to Eau Claire for the Tri State Invitational and came home with the trophy. The same four people, Beverly Maly, Douglas Detlie, Ricky Ninneman, and Jeff Warren, will work to keep the trophy next year. In the Freshmen-Sophomore debate Ricky Ninneman won top honors but the trophy was lost. January 19th the team took a De-Luxe trip to So. St. Paul where they took part in the regular tournament debate; winning all debates. The district contest was held at La Crosse, February 2, with Tomah tieing for second. The sectional at Stevens Point on February 9, found Tomah tied for third. The climax of the season came on February 23, the time of the state contest, where Tomah tied for fifth place. The Debate teams have done a wonderful job this year and have enough experience to make the 1952-1953 team an even greater success. The best of luck to the entire team!

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FORENSICS

The Forensic group of 1952 brought home top honors in their forensic work again this year. Tomah High is very proud of their fine Forensic group, and we hope it will do as well in the future years as it has in the past. Winners in the various fields are:

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Wayne Stoltz (alternate)

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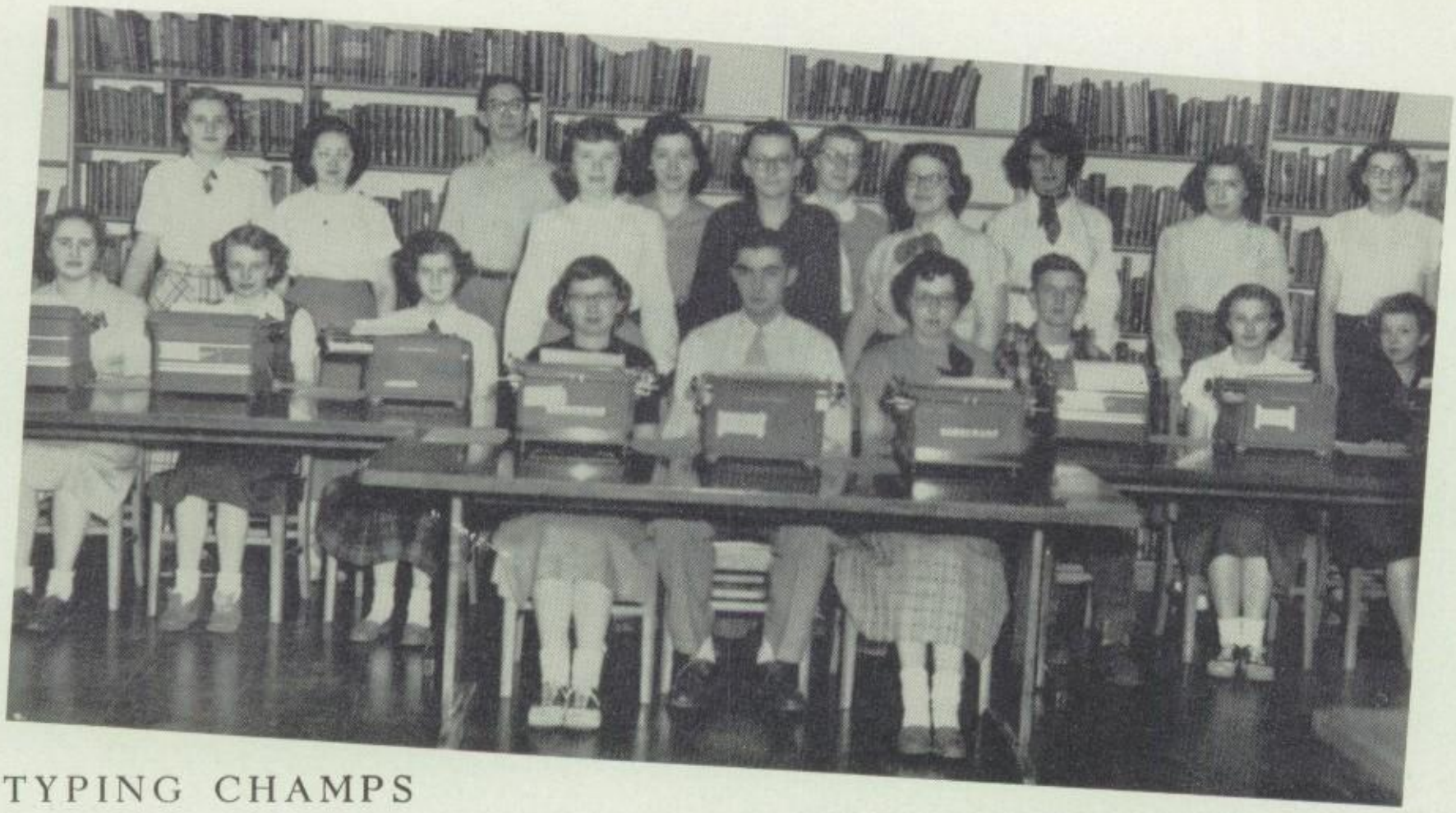

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F.B.L.A. – The Future Business Leaders of America is a nation-wide club. It's purpose is to develop social, political, economic and family competency. When the local chapter of the F.B.L.A. held its first meeting in September, they elected their officers which are as follows: President, Joanne Pongratz; Vice-President, Marlene Burnstad; Secretary, Rita Neibuhr; Treasurer, Dale Pierce; Sergeant-at-Arms, Tom Clay. The F.B.L.A. banquet was held December third. It was a great success and everyone had a good time.

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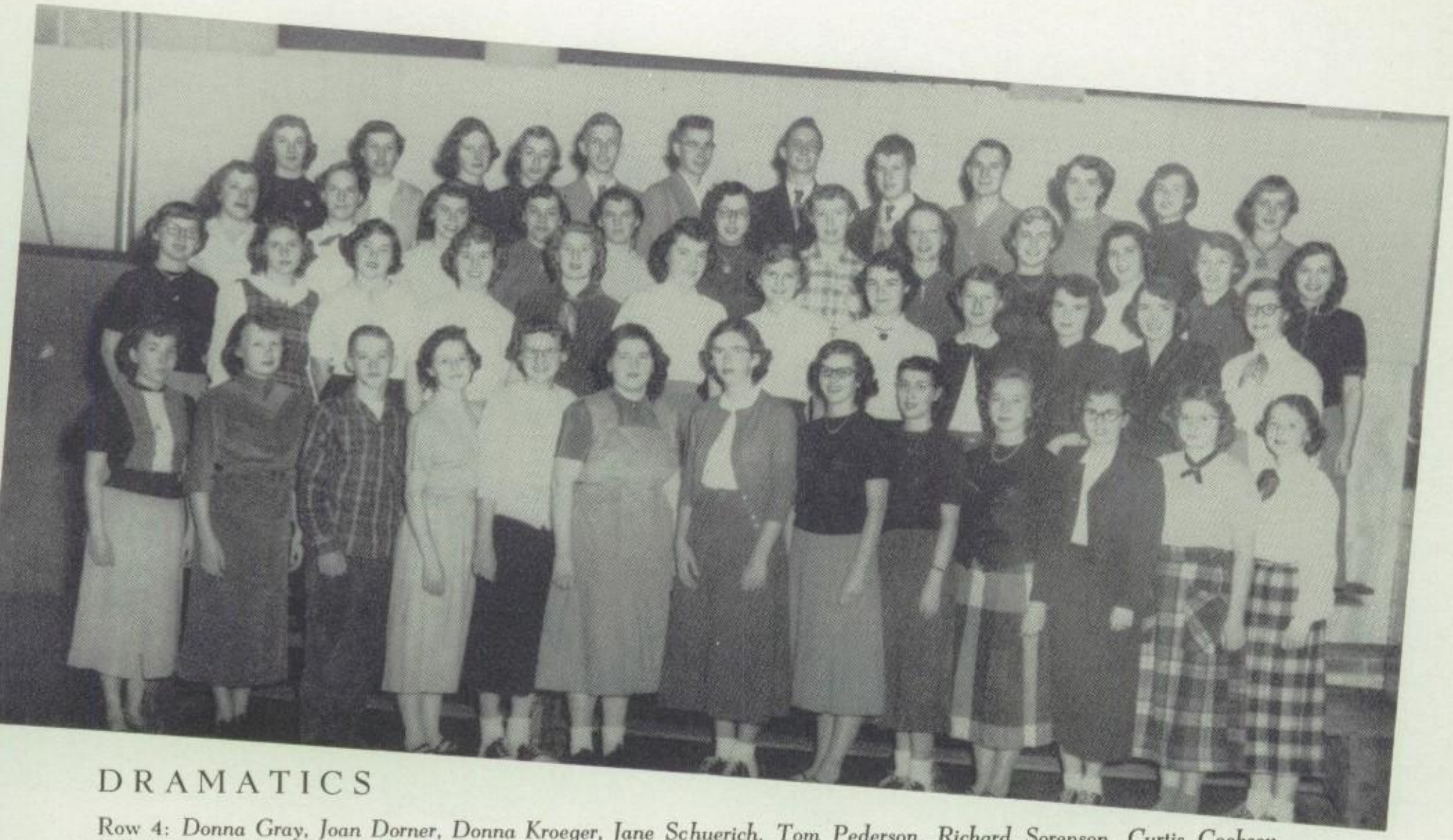

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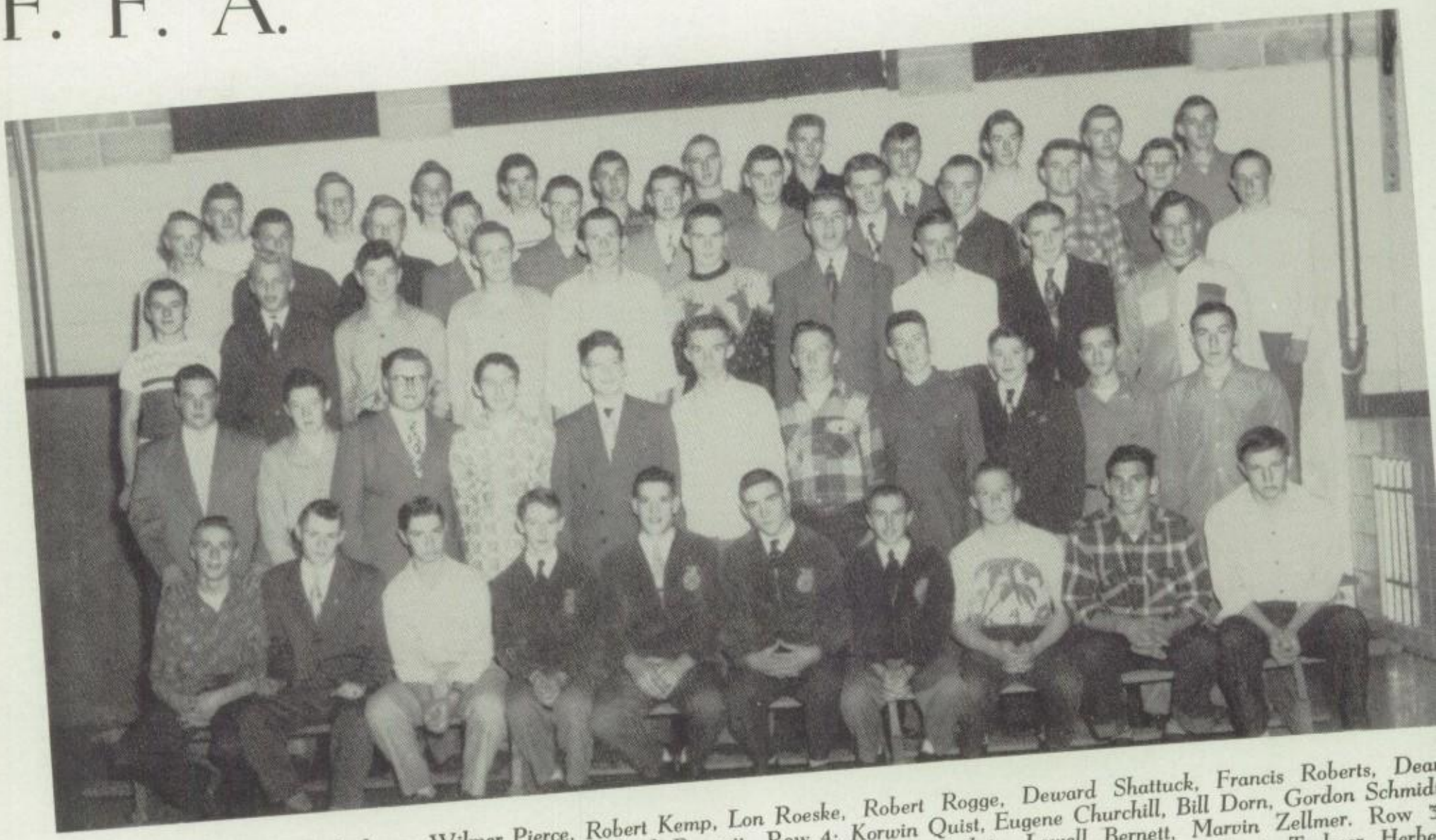

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Here is to our up-and-coming Latin Club. With the help of its sponsor, Miss Sandvig, it will easily achieve its goal, which is to foster interest in the language and history of ancient Rome and to show what the Romans have contributed to modern civilization. Considerable credit must go to the officers who have given much of their time and effort to the club. They are as follows: President, Cecilia Hubert; Vice President, Nancy Henry; Secretary-Treasurer, Dorothy Mistele. All the members, thirty-two in number, are very cooperative and have a very good time together. Parties are held on special holidays such as Halloween, Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Valentine's Day. At these parties appropriate songs are sung. Some of the members tell old Latin myths. Then, there is usually a dramatiziation of something pertaining to the holiday, after which an exciting contest is held. Of course refreshments must be served or it wouldn't be a party. The members are then ready to go home, remembering what a good time they had. The members are sure you will agree with them that whoever said Latin was a dead language, was dead wrong.

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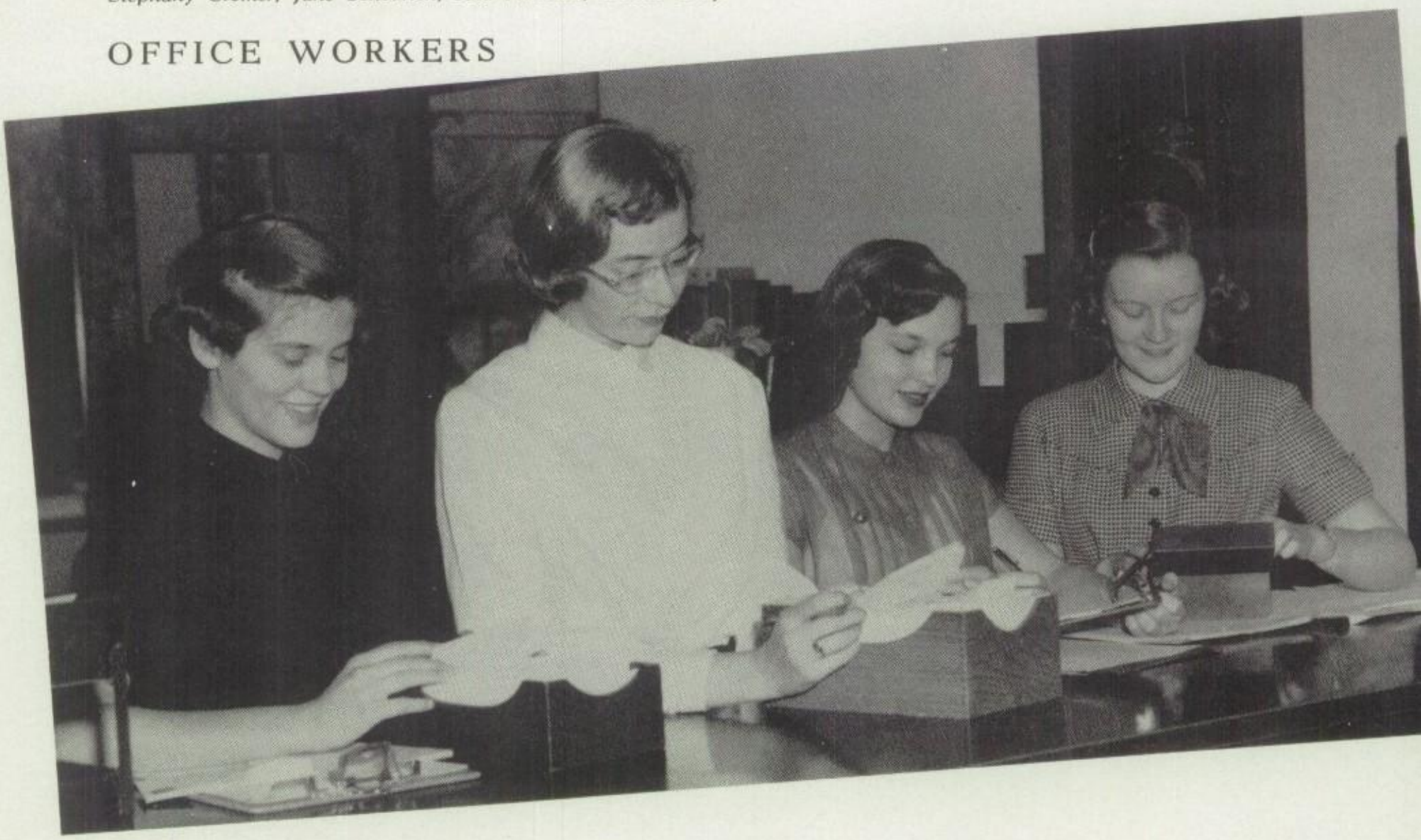

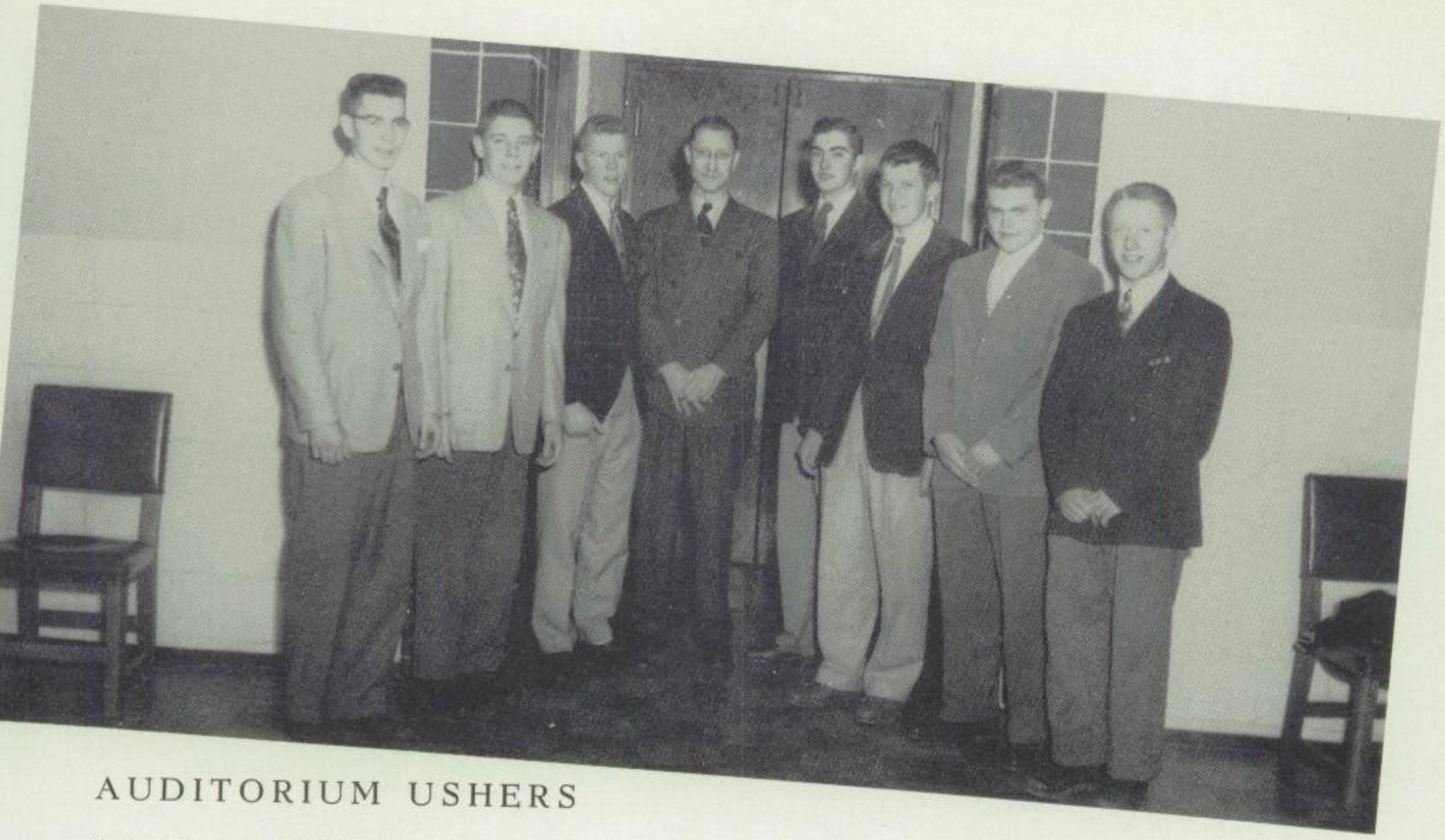

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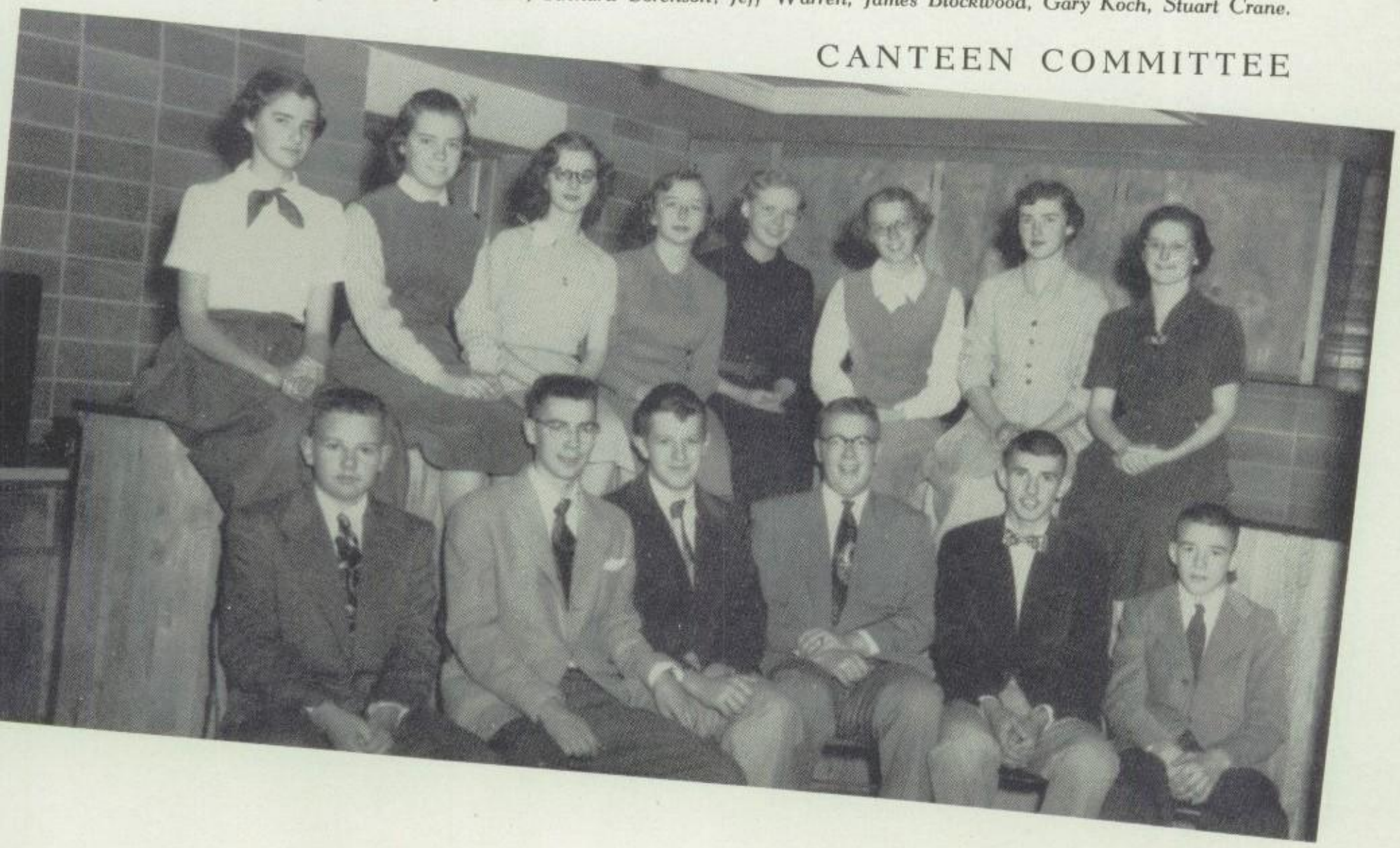

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SNOWBALL

Queen - Janice Erickson, King - Richard Dana

Our Social Events of the Year

On the night of April 27, 1951, the auditorium was appropriately decorated to fit the theme "April Showers" for our Junior Prom. A big, colorful rainbow was arched over the orchestra led by Wally Ives. Pink and blue streamers formed the sky with silver raindrops hanging down. A cluster of sparkling raindrops were in the center, with a wheelbarrow of violets and daffodils beneath. The royal couple reigning over the dance were King Jim Lenz and his chosen queen, Lois Kortbein.

The Senior Snowball, the big event of the Christmas holidays, was again sponsored by the Hamot Staff. The gym was attractively decorated around the theme "Frosty the Snowman." Janice Erickson was elected queen with the following girls on the court: Rita Niebuhr, Beverly Barry, Wanda Wolford, Bette Hall, Rae Ekern, Irene Skogen, and Janice Jerdee. Joan Rice sang the theme song, "Frosty the Snowman" and also "Let it Snow!"

Marilynn Koch was elected queen of the 1951 Homecoming event with Rita Neibuhr, Betty Schultz, Marlene Mallory, and Irene Skogen as her court. The parade was led by the band, and consisted of many floats. That night, Tomah won over Chippewa Falls. A dance sponsored by the G.A.A. followed the game.

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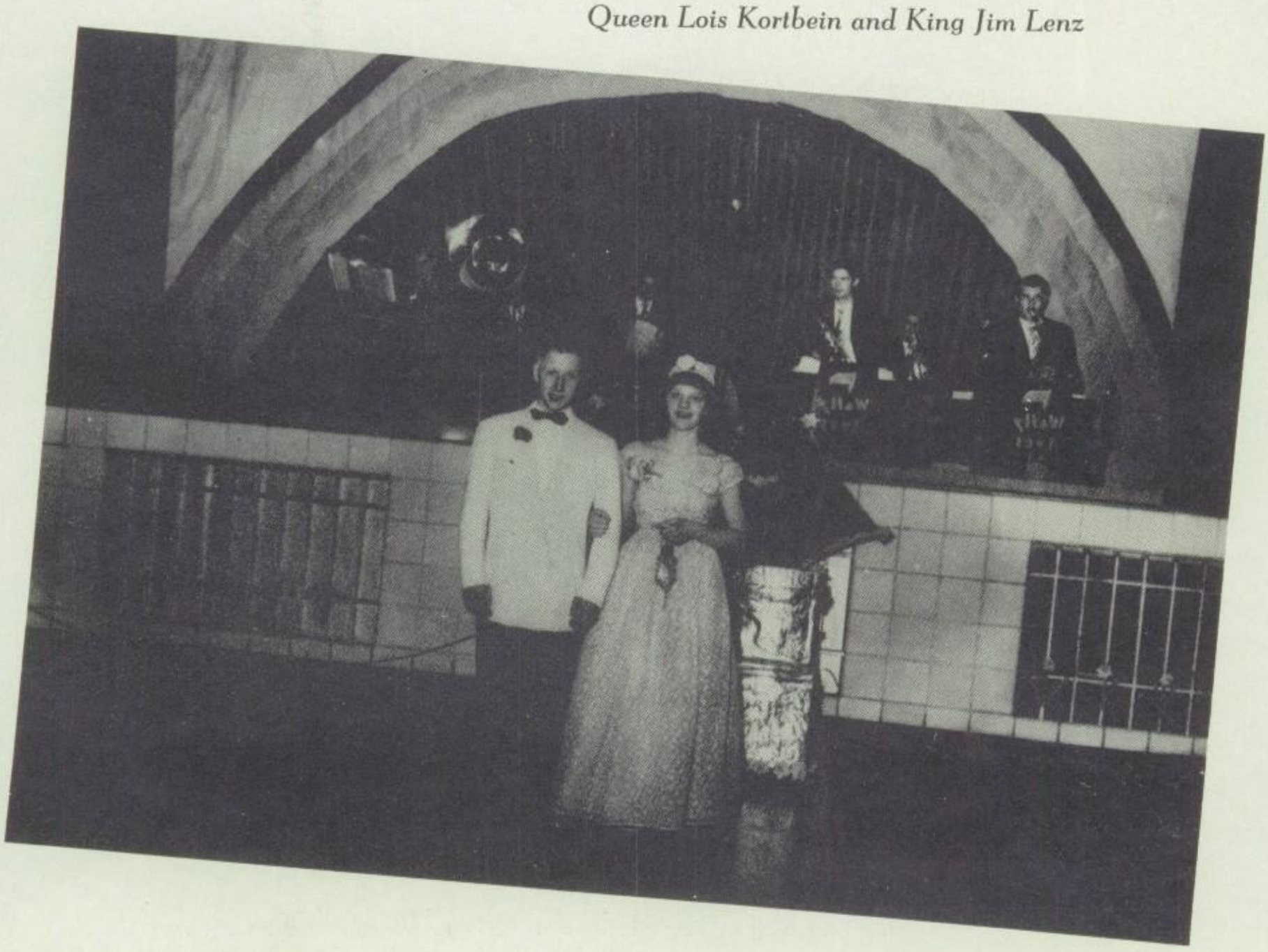
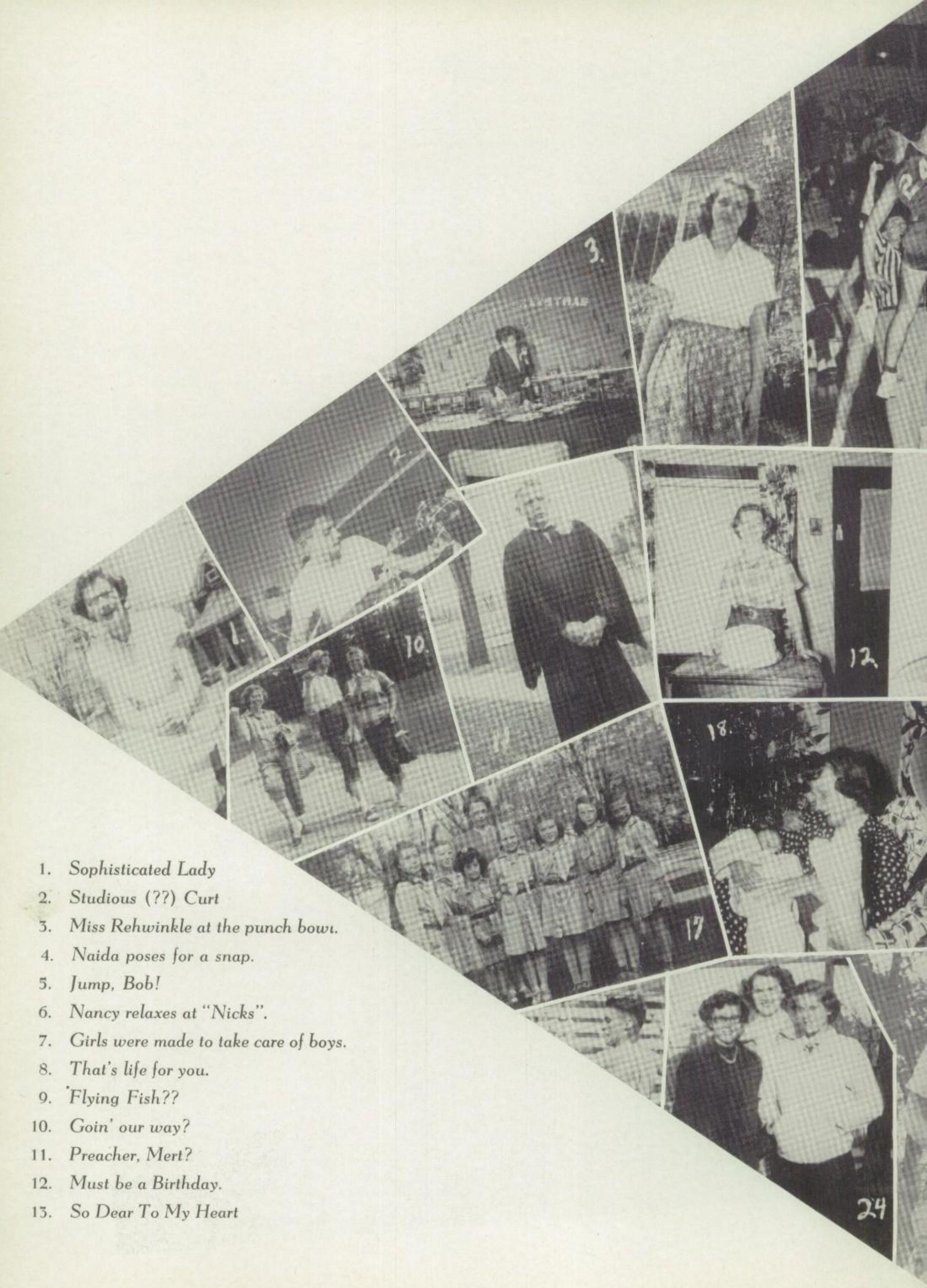
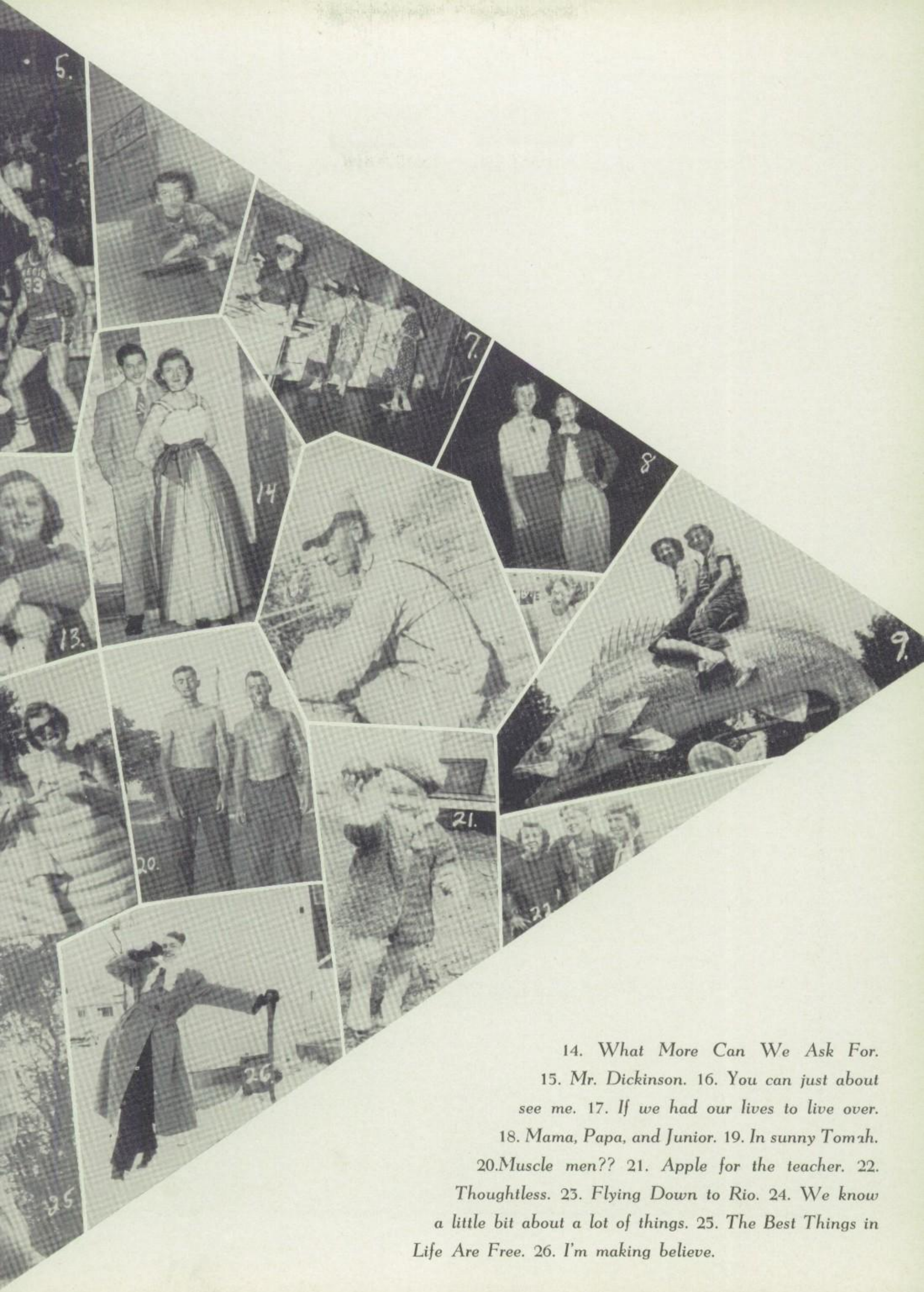
Queen Lois Kortbein and King Jim Lenz





1. *Sophisticated Lady*
2. *Studious (??) Curt*
3. *Miss Rehwinkle at the punch bowl.*
4. *Naida poses for a snap.*
5. *Jump, Bob!*
6. *Nancy relaxes at "Nicks".*
7. *Girls were made to take care of boys.*
8. *That's life for you.*
9. *Flying Fish??*
10. *Goin' our way?*
11. *Preacher, Mert?*
12. *Must be a Birthday.*
13. *So Dear To My Heart*



14. *What More Can We Ask For.* 15. *Mr. Dickinson.* 16. *You can just about see me.* 17. *If we had our lives to live over.* 18. *Mama, Papa, and Junior.* 19. *In sunny Tomah.* 20. *Muscle men??* 21. *Apple for the teacher.* 22. *Thoughtless.* 23. *Flying Down to Rio.* 24. *We know a little bit about a lot of things.* 25. *The Best Things in Life Are Free.* 26. *I'm making believe.*

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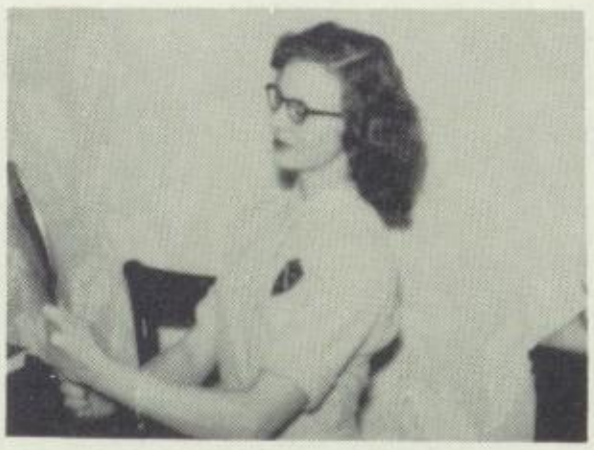

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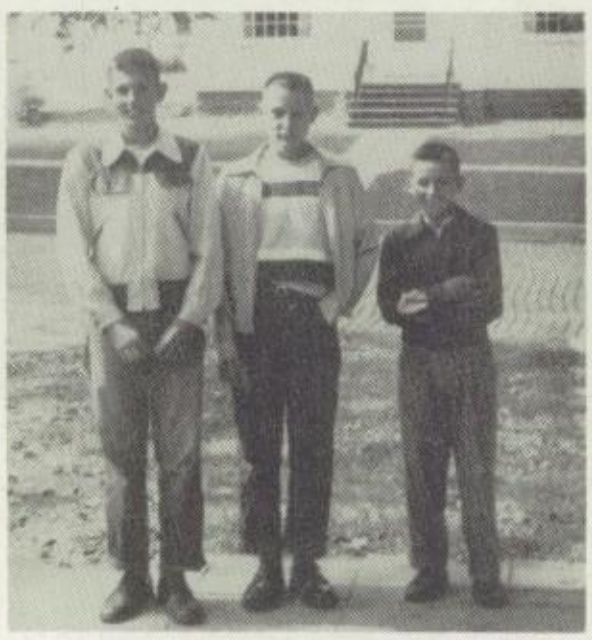

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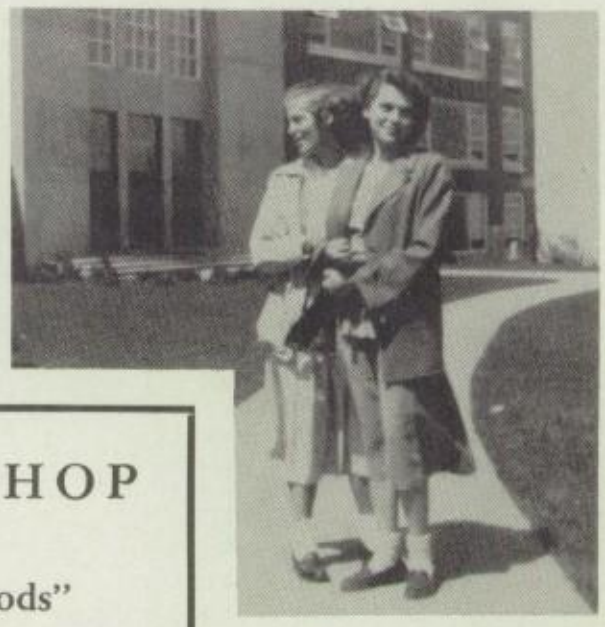

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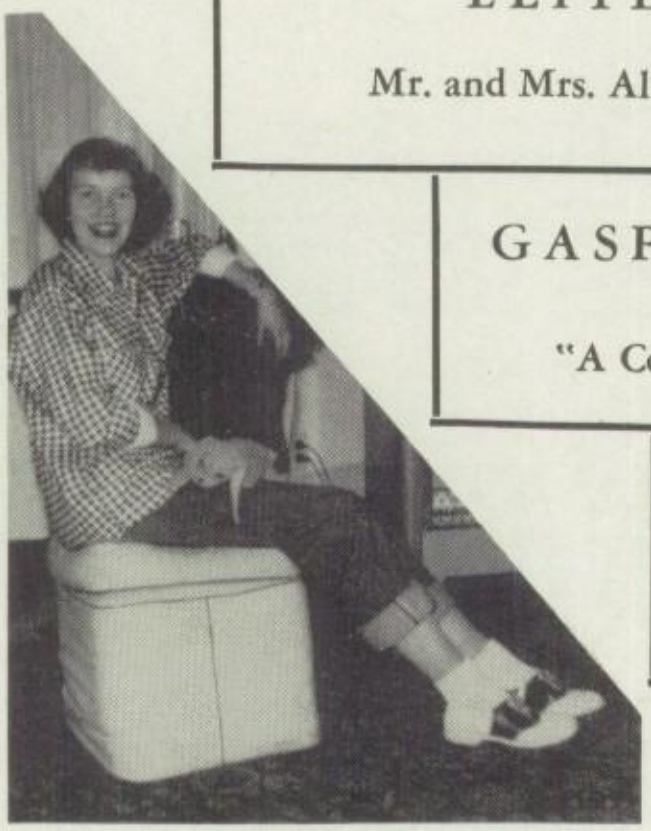

Cute chick!!

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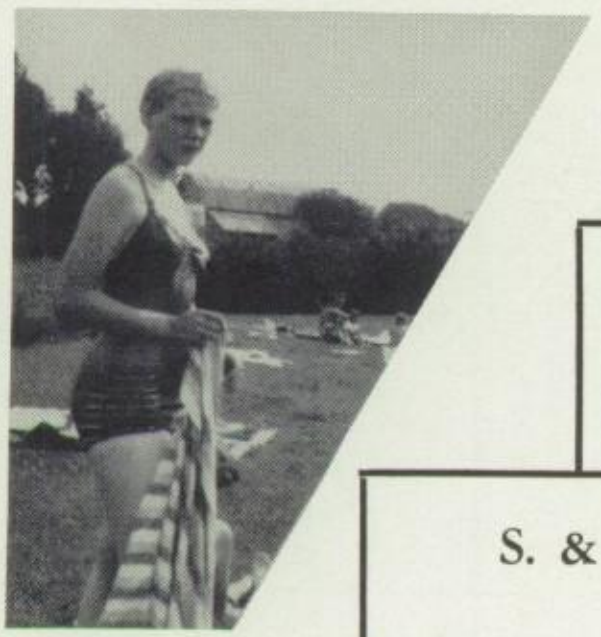

Bathing Beauty

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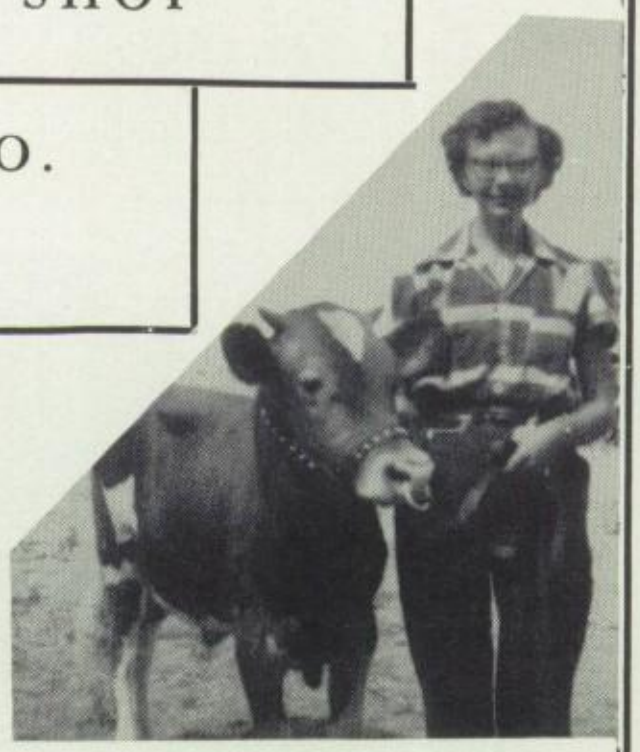

Nice calf

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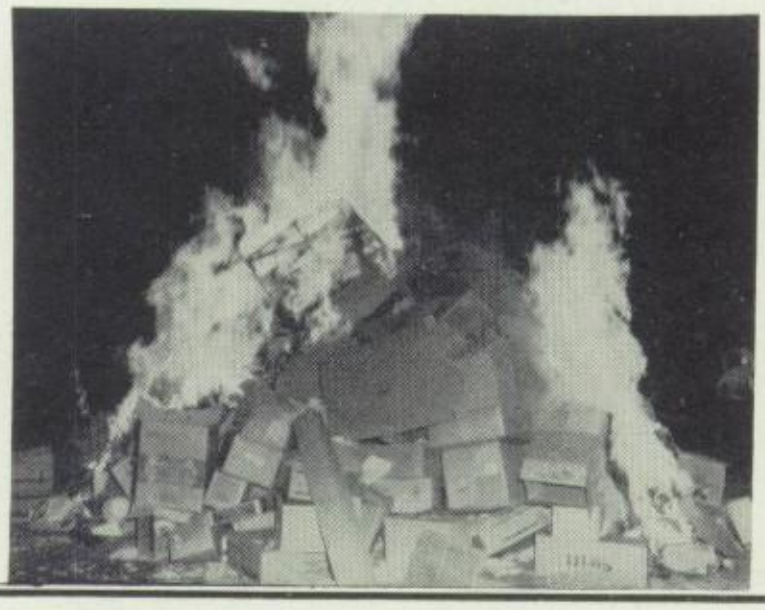
Scenes before the big game



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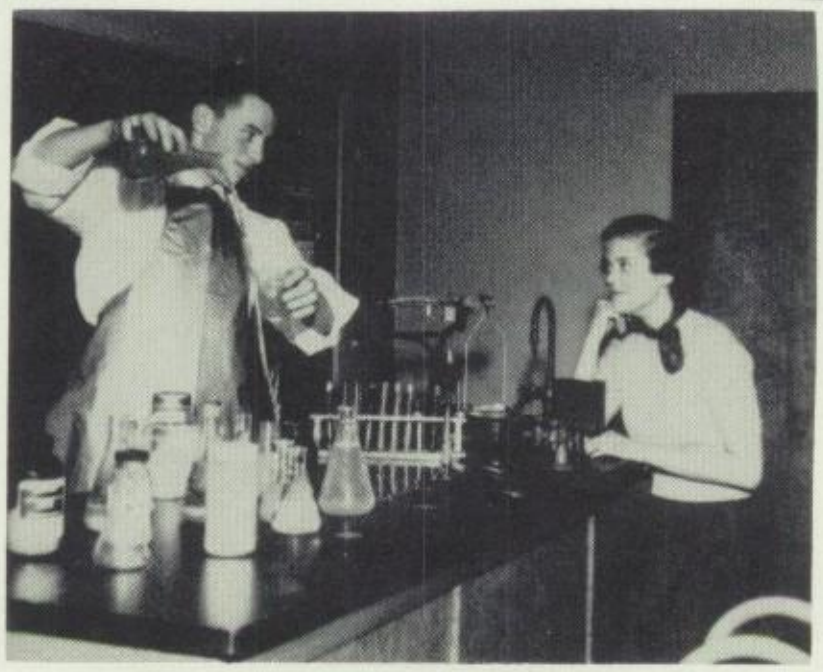
The Gang

"We try, — but, Oh my"

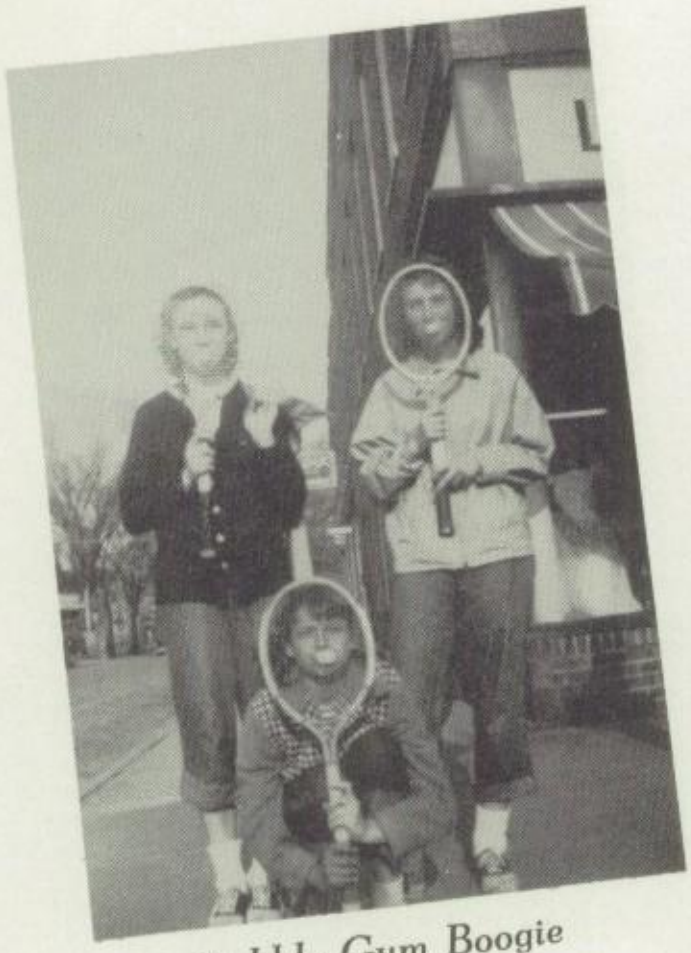
Phil and Bummy

Sittin pretty

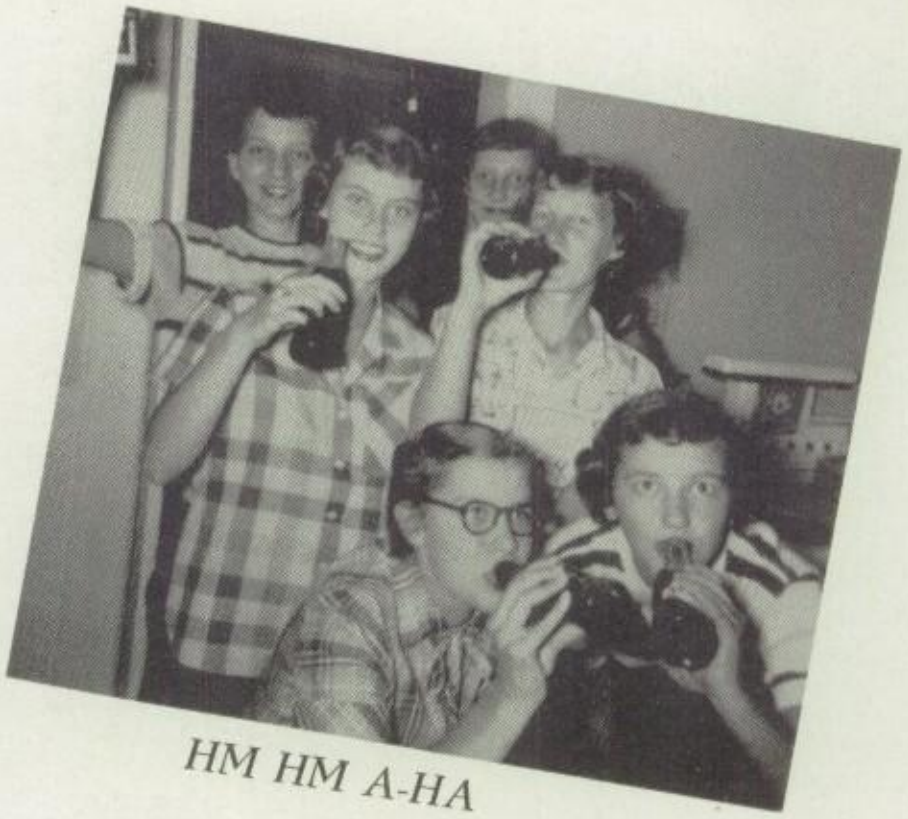
Morning Glories!!



What's so distracting, Craig?



Bubble Gum Boogie



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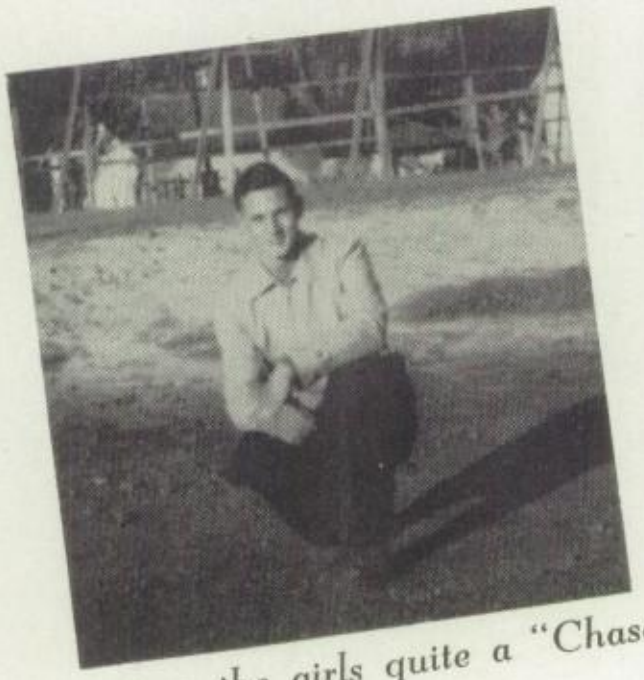
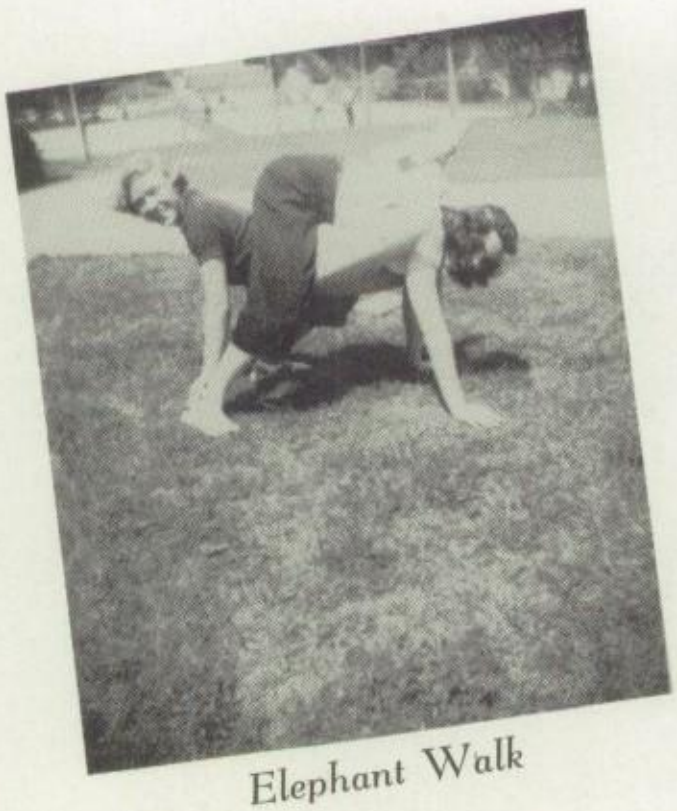


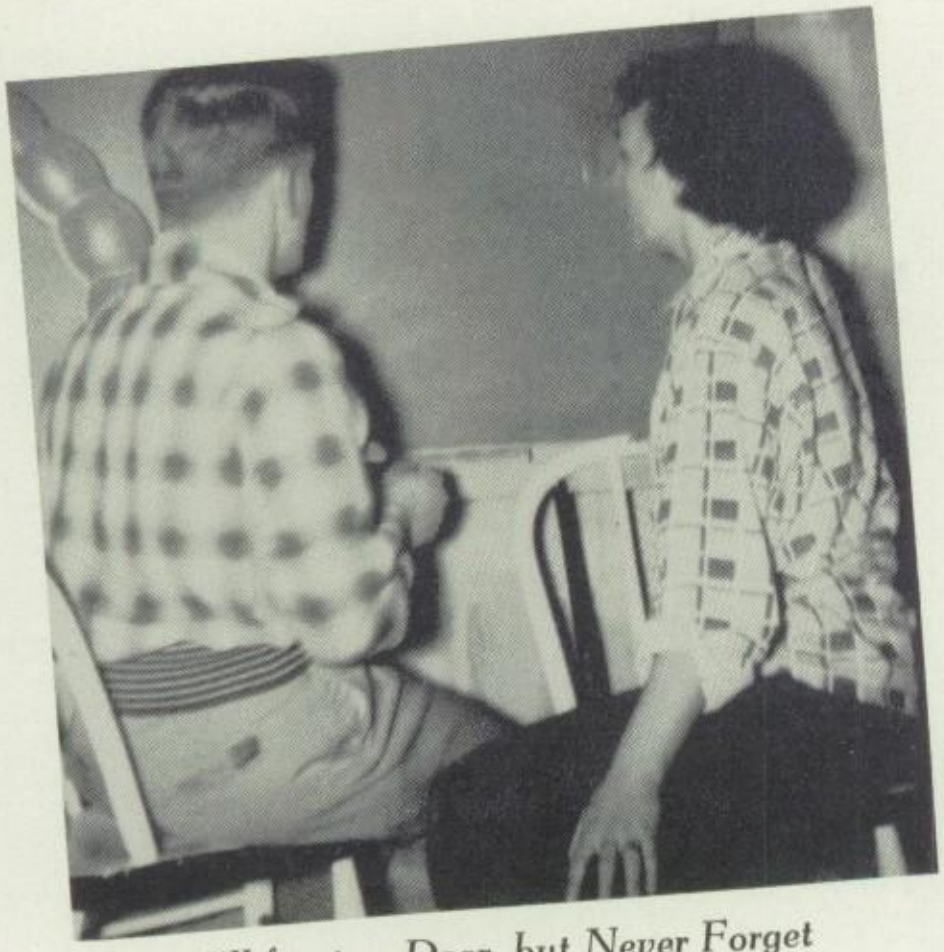
He gives the girls quite a "Chase"

Mornin after the night before



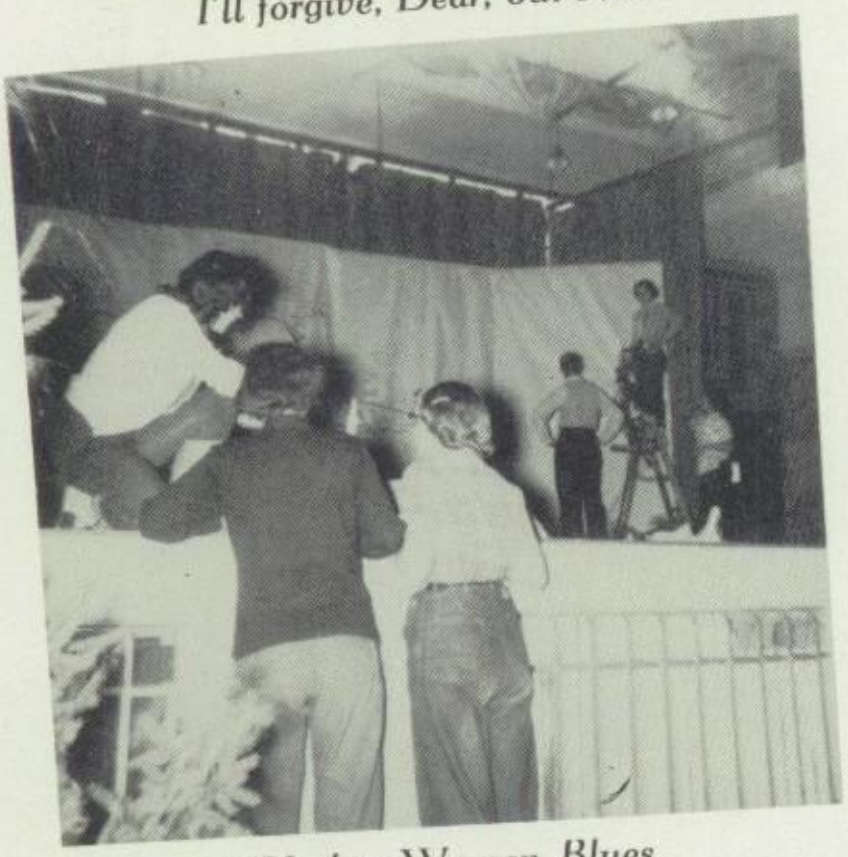
Elephant Walk

In your Easter Bonnet

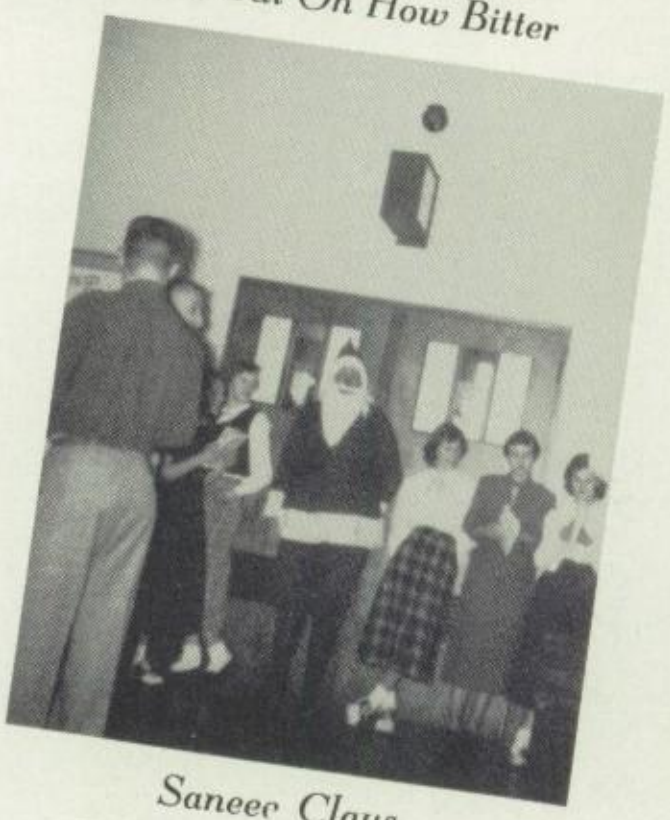


I'll forgive, Dear, but Never Forget

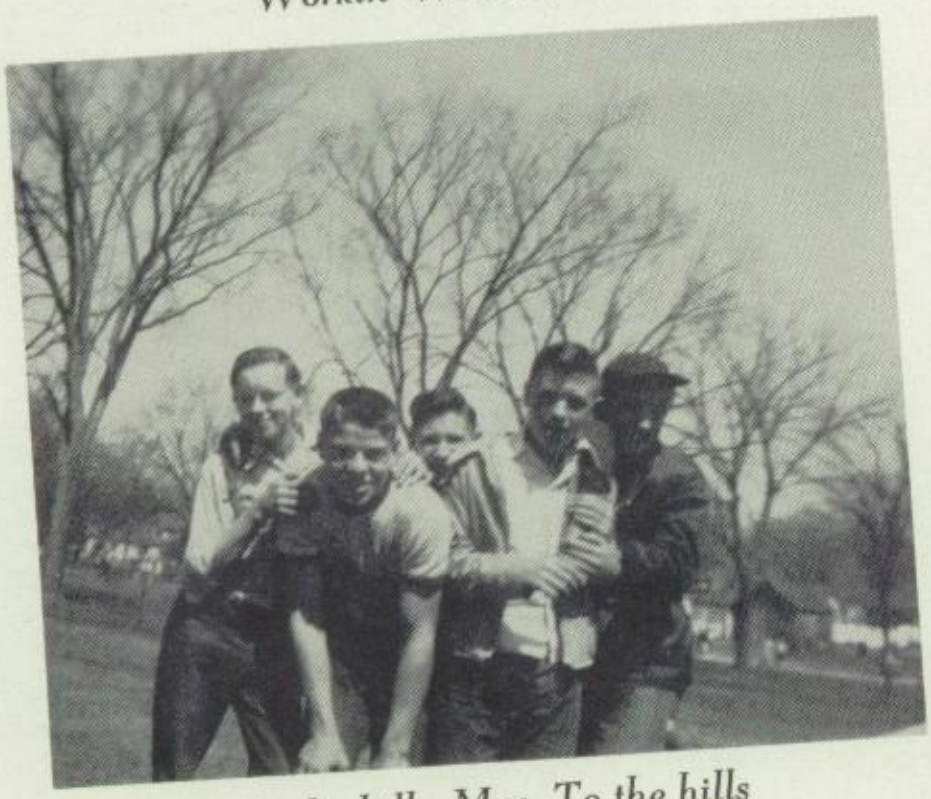
Love is Sweet, But Oh How Bitter



Workin Women Blues



Saneec Claus



To the hills, Men, To the hills

High Powdered Gal

High School Song

Let other High Schools boast
of victories galore, of laurel never lost.
Of triumphs by the score,
let them tell you of their progress,
Of their warriors strong and bold,
whose colors ever lower
to the WHITE and the GOLD.

Our men are all victorious,
Through all the states around,
In basket-ball and foot-ball
They always win renown.
Tho' we're proud of all Wisconsin
Whose fame's in story told,
Yet our heart's with Tomah High School
and the WHITE and the GOLD.

To the hill where stands the High School
When the days are past and gone,
When as school mates we have parted,
And our lessons all are done,
We'll return and show our comrades
We're loyal as of old,
And cheer them on to victory
'Neath the dear old WHITE and GOLD.

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